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## NEW BOOKS HERE

MANY RECEIVED AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

## AVERAGE 90 READERS

A Day During the Month of February  
—Number of Books and Magazines  
Loaned Were 1,762.

According to the report of Librarian Grace Langan for the month of February there were 2,621 readers in the library during the twenty-eight days of that month, or 90 a day. The total number of books and magazines loaned were 1,762 or an average of 83 a day. There were 28 readers' cards issued. The total collections amounted to \$12.99.

Many new books have been received by the library and are now on the shelves of that institution. There were 53 fiction books and seven non-fiction books in the shipment, and a list of them is as follows:

New books added to the library recently:

The House of Happiness, K. L. Boshier.

Under the Christmas Stars, G. S. Richmond.

T. Tembaron, F. H. Burnett.

A Master's Degree, M. H. McCarter.

The Honorable Senator Sagebrush, F. Lynde.

VanCleve, M. S. Watts.

The Dark Hollow, A. K. Green.

The Story of Waitstill Baxter, K. D. Wiggin.

Otherwise Phyllis, M. Nicholson.

The Croyston Family, Mrs. S. H. Ward.

The Desired Woman, W. N. Harben.

The Iron Trail, R. Beach.

The Broken Halo, F. L. Barclay.

Beatrice of DeneWood, B. K. Knipe.

Heart's Desire, E. Hough.

The Forest Lovers, M. Hewlett.

Old Reliable, H. Dickson.

The Ramrodders, H. Day.

Danger Trail, J. O. Curwood.

The Wings of the Morning, L. Tracy.

Raffles, E. W. Hornung.

Lantern of Luck, H. Douglas.

Arizona Nights, S. E. White.

Morals of Marcus Ardeyne, W. J. Locke.

Boss of Little Arcady, H. L. Wilson.

John Hurt, F. U. Adams.

Owl's Nest, E. Marlitt.

Our Lady of the Beeches, Baroness von Hutton.

Life on the Mississippi, M. Twain.

Four Million, O. Henry.

Light Fingered Gentry, D. G. Phillips.

House of Defense, E. F. Benson.

Chief Legatee, A. K. Green.

Doc Gordon, Mrs. M. W. Freeman.

Latter-Day Sweethearts, Mrs. B. Harrison.

Man Between, A. E. Barr.

Quest of the Golden Girl, R. LeGallienne.

The Memories of an American Citizen, R. Herrick.

Graham of Claverhouse, E. MacLaren.

Belchamber, H. O. Sturgis.

A Son of Satsuma, K. Monroe.

The Scrape That Jack Built, O. A. Liljencrantz.

Dream Life, I. Marvel.

A Respectable Family, R. Thompson.

Bonnie Prince Charlie, G. A. Henty.

Out on the Pampas, G. A. Henty.

Captain Bayley's Heir, G. A. Henty.

Little by Little, O. Optic.

All Aboard, O. Optic.

Now or Never, O. Optic.

The Riflemen of the Ohio, J. A. Altsheler.

Five Gallons of Gasoline, M. B. Wells.

A Six-Cylinder Courtship, E. S. Fields.

Non-fiction books:

The Gardener, Rabindranath Tagore.

Giranjali, Rabindranath Tagore.

The Crescent Moon—Rabindranath Tagore.

All the Holidays, C. F. Denton.

Government Ownership of Railways, S. O. Dunn.

The Lonely Dancer and Other Poems, Richard LeGallienne.

Cheerful Todays and Trustful Tomorrows, M. Sangster.

Miss Myra Hull of the Blockton schools arrived home Friday evening for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull, who have moved into their new residence since her last visit home.

Miss Charlotte Wright of the Normal faculty went to her home at Union Star Saturday morning for a week-end visit.

John Bookman left Friday morning for his home at Lamar, Mo.

## WAS A CLOSE GAME.

A and B Sixth Teams Met in Basket Ball Contest Thursday Evening—  
A Player Crippled.

The B sixth grade basket ball team owes its small defeat in basket ball, Thursday evening's game, to the fact that one of its players, Edwin McPherson, bit his tongue and sprained his foot all at the same moment, which kept him from making the play that would have won the victory. The score was 5 to 6 in favor of the A sixth.

The game was played in the morning and afternoon. It was very close and was enjoyed by everyone present. The first team in the A sixth is composed of Perry Eads, Paul Miller, Vern Moore, Glen Pierpoint and Allen Hawkins. The first team in the B sixth has for its players Edwin McPherson, Cecil Smith, Leonard Maier, Wade Kilhon, Harry Jones.

## BANKER GEORGE B. BAKER.

What the St. Joseph Gazette Says About Maryville Man.

The following is from today's St. Joseph Gazette about George B. Baker of this city:

When George B. Baker of the official board of state hospital No. 2 is introduced to strangers as a Maryville banker when he comes to St. Joseph to attend the meetings of the organization to which Governor Major some time ago appointed him, the new acquaintances probably do not fully understand the meaning of that word "banker" as applied to the visitor.

Usually, being a banker means leading the happy life of the man who sits in a fine office and watches people stream into his place of business to deposit their money. But this pleasant experience is only one of the bank activities of the Maryville man.

To begin with, Banker Baker is interested in a lot of things besides the doing of the world of finance. He is a wideawake citizen, he is an active churchman, he knows everybody in his section of the state, and all their affairs interest him. Now you begin to get an inkling of how busy a banker some bankers can be.

Do the Methodists of his home town lack a little money to purchase that new improvement on which they have set their hearts? And do they wonder who is going to make up the balance? Well, not for long, 'cause George does it. Do the little folks in the Sunday school believe that if they work all spring and summer holding ice cream suppers that they can by the end of the warm season earn enough money to buy the little red chairs they need now, and can they think of anybody who will advance the coin and merely take their word that they'll honest in-jun pay it back? Yes, they'll find somebody—that is, if George is in when they make a beeline to his home or his bank. And are the women's clubs, and the civic federation, and the ditch diggers league, and all the other organizations of his birthplace occasionally in need of a kind word, a hearty handshake, and a coin or two to help along the good cause? Somebody is dead sure to remember that George B. Baker has always "seemed mightily interested in our work."

And George smiles slowly and happily and seems to enjoy it all. It's a cinch that everybody else does.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## CHARLES S. MELLEN.

Ex-President of the New Haven, Who Faces Trial As Result of Fatal Wreck.



## A MASS MEETING ARE TAKING EXAMS

TO BE HELD AT COURT HOUSE MARCH 31.

## NON-PARTISAN TICKET 88 WERE WRITING TODAY

City Council Issued Call for Such a Meeting—Selected Judges For the City Election.

At the city council meeting held Friday evening a call was made for a non-partisan mass meeting in the court house on Tuesday evening, March 31, when a non-partisan ticket will be selected to be voted on at the city election Tuesday, April 7. At this meeting candidates for aldermen from the four wards will also be selected, but it will be done by the voters of these wards.

The council also made a call for the election, and appointed the following as the judges of the election:

First ward—Burt Rowley, Howard Whaley, Noah Sipes and Ed Hamlin.

Second ward—Albert Kuchs, W. R. Hughes, A. A. Leet and Wilbur Smith.

Third ward—Albert Bell, J. F. Cook, Julian Briggs, W. J. Montgomery.

Fourth ward—James Smith, Fred Smith, John Kirch and Ed Otis.

An ordinance was adopted that members of the city council receive \$4 a meeting night when they are in attendance. The new ordinance will mean that there will be a good attendance of the members at every meeting. The members will not receive their salary unless they are present at the meetings.

## CONVERSIONS NUMBER 121.

Baptist Revival Services Closed Friday Night—Assisting Ministers Left For Their Homes.

There were eleven conversions at the Friday evening service at the First Baptist church, when the eighteen days' meeting came to a close. There were several requests made for prayer also. Eleven were received for baptism Friday night, making a total of 121 during the revival. The rite of baptism will be administered Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Charles E. Henry, pastor of the Baptist church at Trenton, who has conducted the singing with such satisfaction to everybody, left the church Friday night to take the Wabash train for his home. Rev. Henry is gifted as a leader and singer and in all church activity. His presence and work has been a great blessing to the church.

Dr. Hale of Hannibal, the consecrated, scholarly minister who has given such faithful warnings to unbelievers and splendid instruction to church membership, gave a fitting sermon to close his work here from one of the Proverbs: "My son, give me thine heart." In the beginning he said the heart is the only thing one possesses that he may give to God, for all things else are His. The cattle on a thousand hills are His, the gold and silver in the mines, and all the wealth of the world are His. But a man has the disposal of his affections to himself; what he will do with his heart, whether he shall allow it to be enriched by the indwelling spirit of God is for him to decide. The beautiful picture he drew of the possibilities there are in a man's life when he gives himself completely into God's hands and lets Him mold his thoughts and affections had the effect of placing a desire for such a surrender as that in the heart of everyone present.

Dr. Hale left for his home Saturday morning. His sermons have greatly strengthened the church and have been used of God in turning many to righteousness.

## CONCERT SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

To Be Given at the Empire Theater at 3 o'clock by the Maryville Band.

The following is the program for the band concert to be given Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Empire theater:

March "The Progressive Musician," Atkinson.

Overture, "The Belle of the Village," Bouillon.

Intermezzo, "Witchery," Moore.

Overture, "Poet and Peasant," Suppe.

Intermission.

March, "Always Take a Girl Named Daisy," Meyer.

Fantasia on "My Old Kentucky Home," Dalby.

March, "At Uncle Tom's Cabin Door," Cowan.

"Grand Sacred Potpourri," Berry.

March, "Missouri Maze," Cross.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

BEING HELD AT BUSINESS COLLEGE FOR TEACHERS.

The Smallest Number to Take the March Examinations on Record, Last Year Being 120.

The county teachers' examinations are being held today at the Business college under the direction of County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson, and with the help of Prof. B. F. Duncan and Mrs. O. C. Hanna. There are eighty-eight men and women taking the examination, the smallest number to take the March examinations on record. Last year there were 120.

The ones who are taking the examinations are:

Maryville—Ella Nixon, Amy Van Buren, Myrtle Hughbank, Pearl Neal, J. P. Cummings, Ada Dinsmore, Anna Halasey, Rose Shinabargar, Eva Whitehead, Maude Whitehead, Mary Fordyce, Anna Davenport, Coga Thummel, Jessie Fisher, Cecile Fisher, Ruby Russell, Helen Burris, May Craytor, Gertrude Clary, Nellie Miller, Barnard—Lizzie Tanner, Paul Sells, Ethel Pearce, Olva Ramsey, L. S. Mendenhall, Ross Dewitt and A. J. Patton.

Bolckow—Harvey Lucas, Opal Key, Alberta Turner and S. E. Richards.

Quitman—Ethel Key, Anna Crayton and Minnie Money.

Burlington Junction—Mary Carter, Helen Hollis and Maude McComb.

Graham—Louise Finkbeiner, Stella Davis and Rosella Praisewater.

Shenandoah, Ia.—Jane Cheshire.

Hepburn, Ia.—Faye Cheshire.

Farragut, Ia.—Genevieve Williamson.

Hopkins—Bessie Dinsmore.

Forest City—Flora Anders.

Maryville—Elta Shipp.

Gilman City—Hollie Layson, Mabel Vanderpool, Paul Vanderpool and M. A. Miller.

Gulford—Frank Ham and Cleo Richards.

Parnell—Helen Matteson, Blanche Bloomfield.

Stanberry—Mary Fullerton and Mrs. Pearl Warner.

Albany—Maggie Jones.

Elmo—Amarilla Myers, Cora Carver and Otto Riley.

Sheridan—Eugene Bird, Wilfred Bird, Cecil Bayless and Dora Smith.

Clyde—Johanna Galvin, Agnes Cummins, Nina Merrigan, Lucy Archer, Stella Poland, Ruth Hobbs, Theresa Kelly, Ruth Schocklee, Teresa Conway and Loretta McManus.

Ravenwood—Atholl West, Blanche Rimel, Mildred Peters and Leland Richards.

Skidmore—Lora Shultz, Helen Hutt, Viola Barber, Cleo Barber, Earl Bodie, Harold Hutt, Leora Hitchcock and Marie Shockley.

Clearmont—Martha Curry.

## Sunday Services at Local Churches

The ministers of our city make their announcements for the church services tomorrow, and with it we respectfully submit a church calendar containing a novel set of beatitudes we found in possession of a well known church man Saturday morning:

"Blessed is the man whose calendar contains prayer meeting nights.

"Blessed is the man who can endure an hour and a quarter in a place of worship, as well as two hours and a half in a place of amusement.

"Blessed is the man who loves the church with his pocketbook, as well as with his heart.

"Blessed is the church officer who is not pessimistic.

"Blessed is the man whose watch keeps church time as well as business time.

"Blessed is the man who has grace to leave the critical spirit on the sidewalk when he comes to church.

"Blessed is the man who loves his own church enough to praise it.

"Blessed is the man who is faithful on a committee.

## First Presbyterian Church.

We will be glad to see you at our services tomorrow. The morning sermon will be entitled "God's Law of Compensation," and the evening sermon will deal with Pilate's question, "What Shall I Do With Jesus?"

The Sunday school and Young People's club are inspiring instances of religion in action. We offer you the

best of everything we have in fellowship and worship, but you'll have to come to our services to accept the offer.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**  
Regular services at this church Sunday morning and evening. Sermon-lesson at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Man." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome.

**First M. E. Church.**  
Sunday school at 9:30, H. C. Bower, superintendent. Church at 11 a. m. Class meeting at 12, Mr. Hartman, leader.

Epworth League service at 6:30, Dale Hoffman, leader. Subject, "James, Common Sense Religion." Church service at 7:30, Subject, "Paul the Traveler."

**First Christian Church.**  
Morning services begin with the church in Bible study at 9:30. At 10:45 the minister will preach following the communion service. Subject, "A Letter From Jesus." The Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30, and the evening preaching service begins promptly at 7:30. Evening subject, "Four-Square Manhood." The choir will render special music morning and evening.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. An unusually large attendance is expected. The pastor desires the presence of every member of the church and congregation in Sunday school and at the church service Sunday morning. His class of men is expecting to meet him 100 strong.

Subject of the sermon at 11 o'clock will be "Some Elements of Christian Character."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

Subject of evening sermon, "How Shall We Neglect If We Neglect So Great Salvation?"

The rite of baptism will be administered at 7:30 to those who made profession during the meetings just closed and have not yet been baptized.

It is the purpose to continue the large chorus choir at the evening service.

There will be special music Sunday.

**Buchanan Street Methodist Church.**  
All of the regular services will be held. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., conducted by Clarence Seal, superintendent.

The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m. The subject of the sermon will be "The Tragedy of the Incomplete."

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. The League is making special preparation for holding a young people's revival, which will begin Sunday evening, March 5. The revival will be held by young people and for young people.

The evening service will be conducted by the pastor, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. He will speak on "Those Who Wait for Tomorrow." A very cordial invitation is given to all of these services.

**Preachers' Meeting.**  
The Ministerial Alliance will meet on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of Rev. G. S. Cox.

SAMUEL D. HARKNESS, Chairman.

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**ALAN R. HAWLEY.**

President of Aero Club

And Type of Air Craft to Be Used to Circle the Globe.

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## MANY APPLICANTS

FOR FOURTH CLASS POSTOFFICES TO TAKE EXAMINATION.

## HERE NEXT SATURDAY

Eleven Towns Will Be Represented and the Examination Will Be Conducted by Civil Commission.

A civil service examination will be held in Maryville on Saturday, March 14, by the civil service commission, composed of Eldon Irvin, Cleve Fank and Ernest Welborn, for the position of postmaster of all fourth class post-offices in Nodaway county at which the annual compensation is \$180 or more, and at which the present incumbent was not appointed under the civil service regulations. The commission will also give the examination for the Bolckow and Sheridan postoffices in Maryville.

The examination will be held for applicants for the postoffices of Clearmont, Elmo, Quitman, Graham, Barnard, Guilford, Conception Junction, Conception and Parnell. Over twenty-six applications have been received and will take the examination at that time.

Eldon Irvin of the commission went to Darlington Saturday, where he conducted a civil service examination for the position of postmaster at that place. There were three applicants for the place.

## THE I. O. O. F. DEDICATION.

Many From Maryville Were in Attendance at the Lodge Session Friday Night.

Friday was a big day for the I. O. O. F. lodge at Wilcox, their new hall being dedicated, with Grand Master Hamilton and Grand Secretary Wilkerson in attendance. The dedication services took place in the afternoon. A fine supper was served in the hall in the evening at 6 o'clock, and after supper lodge was held. The following were in attendance from Maryville at the lodge session Friday night: Fred Yeomans, John Price, H. B. Cox, Will Irwin, Henry Trullinger, Marlon F. Smith, Frank Manley, Howard Whaley, Amos Sprecher, J. E. Thornton, Orville Bennett, Chester Bennett, Frank Orcutt, Albert McNeal, John Vert, John Touhey, Eugene Rathbun, Shell Garten, Lon Welborn, Wm. Hely-le.

## SUITS FILED IN COURT.

Homer Hankins Suing Wabash Railroad for Trunk Destroyed by Fire.

Three suits were filed Saturday in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office for the April term of circuit court. Today was the last day of service for suits at the coming term, with the exception of suits on notes and accounts.

Homer Hankins is suing the Wabash for \$200 damages for the loss of a trunk containing wearing apparel. The petition states that the trunk was sent from Maryville to Conception Junction, and at that place it is supposed to have been destroyed by the fire that burned the depot there. Ella G. Cook is the attorney for Hankins. Holmes & Wolfert brought suit against Reuben Young for a commission fee of \$552 for an account of \$32.92.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schoonover and daughter were called to Pickering Friday by the illness of Mrs. Schoonover's grandfather, Alfred Gray.

## THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Sunday, not much change in temperature; moderate north winds.

**FERN TONIGHT**  
Ha! Ha! Ha! ALKALI IKE'S AUTO  
You will have to laugh  
Hiananda's Cross, Drama  
Thoughtlessness, Drama  
Helen Gardner, Monday

**We Have Moved**  
To Our New Location  
One Door South of Montgomery Shoe Co.  
H. T. CRANE



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#### The Boy and His Daddy.

"What would you be, my precious lad?"

I asked of my curly locked 4-year-old as he played with his red toy engine there.

Safe from the wintry blast and cold. And a look of love came into his eyes while he ceased a moment and gazed at me.

And I saw he knew, and I understood The depth of his childish simplicity—

"I just want to be like my daddy!"

"What would you do, my precious lad?" Again interrupted the boy at play.

He had loaded his train with wonderful blocks

And the restless engine was tugging away.

But he stopped and smiled, as a child can do,

And dimples adorned him with roguish grace.

While quick from the heart his brief answer came

And longing shone forth in his handsome face—

"I just want to do like my daddy!"

"Where would you go, my precious lad?"

Third time, and last, I detained him there

For childish hearts have their yearnings dear

And dreams of the future for which they care.

The boy, so busy about his play, Must have ambitions beyond our ken

And yet from his lips I heard once more

The words in confidence uttered then,

"I just want to go with my daddy!"

Back of the bright eyes is one little life—

Sweet tender heritage left in your care;

Blessed the task to prepare him for strife,

Glorious chance which is given you there—

Do you want him to be like you, daddy?

—Lon A. Warner in New York Times.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### IF WE CAN'T MAKE THAT WATCH OF YOURS GO

You may just as well give it to the baby to play with.

JAS. STEWART, who has had 30 years experience, has charge of our watch repairing department. We can get all of the service out of your watch that there is in it, even down to the last tick. Let us try it—Is all We Ask.

**Rames Brothers**  
JEWELRY, WATCHES, OPTICS

## Closing Out Stock Sale

Having rented my farm, near Parnell, I will sell at the farm, known as the George Baker farm, 2 miles east of Maryville, on

Wednesday, March 11, 1914

The following described property.

58 HEAD OF CATTLE—15 head of cows with calves by side, 8 to be fresh soon, 8 heifers 3 and 4 years old, 15 long yearling steers, 14 long yearling heifers, 4 coming yearling steers, 2 coming yearling heifers.

14 HEAD OF HORSES—4 black geldings, 2 mules, 1 brown horse, 1 sorrel horse, 1 bay mare, 1 mule mare, 1 brown mare with foal, 1 bay mare, smooth mouth, with foal; 1 roan colt, 1 bay filly.

1 buggy, 1 carriage, 1 disc cultivator, 3 cultivators, 3 sets work harness, good ones.

TERMS—\$10.00 and under cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 percent interest from date. No property to be removed until settled for.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

E. E. Williams, Clerk.

C. H. WILSON

### AS CHINA SEES THE WHITES.

#### Men "Drag" Women Around Rooms While "Most Hellish Music" Plays.

In his book, "The Chinese Revolution," Arthur J. Brown reprints a paragraph written by a Chinese who had seen much of the Europeans and North Americans at Shanghai. "We are always told that the countries of the foreign devils are grand and rich," the Chinese observed, "but that cannot be true else what do they all come here for?"

"They jump around and kick balls as if they were paid to do it. Again you will find them making long tramps into the country; but that is probably a religious duty, for when they wave sticks in the air nobody knows why. They have no sense of dignity for they may be found walking with women. Yet the women are to be pitied, too. On festive occasions they are dragged around a room to the accompaniment of the most hellish music."

Another interesting paragraph is from the pen of a Chinese who had just returned from a tour of Europe and North America. He wrote to a relative as follows:

You cannot civilize these foreign devils. They are beyond redemption. They will live for weeks and months without touching a mouthful of rice, but they eat the flesh of bullocks and sheep in enormous quantities. That is why they smell so badly. They smell like sheep themselves. Every day they take a bath to rid themselves of their disagreeable odors, but they do not succeed. Nor do they eat their meat cooked in small pieces. It is carried into the room in large chunks, often half raw, and they cut and slash and tear it apart. They eat with knives and prongs. It makes a civilized being perfectly nervous. One fancies himself in the presence of sword swallowers. They even sit down at the same table with women, and the latter are served first, reversing the order of nature.

#### Spring Blood and System Cleanser.

During the winter months impurities accumulate, your blood becomes impure and thick, your kidneys, liver and bowels fail to work, causing so-called "spring fever." You feel tired, weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the spring tonic and system cleanser—is what you need; they stimulate the kidneys, liver and bowels to healthy action, expel blood impurities and restore your health, strength and ambition. Electric Bitters makes you feel like new. Start a four weeks' treatment—it will put you in fine shape for your spring work. Guaranteed. All druggists. 50c and \$1.00. H. E. Bucklin & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.—Advertisement.

#### GUILFORD NEWS ITEMS.

Miss Nellie Bannister is going to St. Joseph this week to enter the Keister tailoring college for the full course. She will make her home with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Garner, while there.

Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the M. E. church here, has commenced a series of meetings this week. He has twice before started a revival effort here, but was deterred by storms or sickness.

The livery barns here have changed hands. Davis brothers have sold out to Bert Miller of Alton, Mo., and O. D. VanFossen has sold a part interest in his barn to John H. Williams.

#### Smallpox at Parnell.

Parnell is making every effort to stop the spread of the smallpox, and the board of public health of that place has ordered the schools closed another week on that account. There are to be no public meetings of any kind. There are now five families where the disease has developed, but none of the cases have been serious. One new case at F. X. Berg's and one at George C. Logan's residence. Charley Harman and Mildred LaFavor are getting better and will be discharged in a day or two. Lloyd Millikan also has the disease.

#### Left for Kansas.

Mrs. S. A. Wiseman and children left Thursday evening for Centralia, Kan., where they will make their future home.

S. L. Beech and his little daughter, Elizabeth, went to Bolckow Friday morning on a business trip.

## News of Society and Womens' Clubs

#### Informal Party.

Miss Nettie Anthony will entertain a small party of girl friends Saturday evening.

#### Saturday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Burris entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Saturday Mrs. Will V. Mountjoy, Mrs. Florian Gex and Will Gex of near Graham.

#### Miss Read Will Speak.

All the departments of the Twentieth Century Club will meet at the Elks club Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to hear Miss Louella Read of Shenandoah speak on German writers. Miss Read, who is a personal friend of Mrs. G. H. Colbert, and whose guest she will be, lectured before the club in September last on German student life. Her appearance here at that time was delightfully instructive, and it is expected she will be given an unusual reception next Monday.

Miss Read will be accompanied by a friend from Pekin, China. All the club members will be given opportunity to meet the visitors after Miss Read's talk.

#### Mrs. Burris Was Hostess.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Will A. Burris, instead of with Mrs. Mary Landon, who was called from the city. Thirty members were present and three visitors, Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. Satterlee and Mrs. J. A. Lorance. The Bible study in giving was conducted by Mrs. W. A. Bailey in the absence of Mrs. Anderson Craig, who was ill. The subject for the afternoon, "The Rural Church," was conducted by the president, Mrs. Eugene Ogden. "The Need" was discussed by Mrs. Burris; "The Pastor," by Mrs. J. L. Jones; "Backwardness and Its Uplift," Mrs. L. P. James; "Co-operation Between Country and City Churches," Mrs. S. P. Huston. Everyone entered heartily into the discussion of these subjects. After the program the mite box opening was held. The boxes were distributed last November. Thirty boxes were returned Friday and contents yielded \$22.50. There are twenty-four yet to hear from and they will be opened at the next meeting.

#### Charmed Their Audience.

Miss Besse Scott and Miss Edith Wilson returned Friday from Brookfield, Mo., where they gave a concert Tuesday night. They went to St. Joseph Friday and joined a theater party of Maryville friends at the Lyceum for "My Lady's Slipper." Miss Scott and Miss Wilson gave a very successful concert in the Christian church at Brookfield. They had a nice large audience, and so well pleased were the auditors with the program that when the fire whistle sounded the fire alarm not a person moved in response. After the concert was over the Maryville young ladies were assured the program they gave was equal to any given in the lecture course Brookfield had this winter. After the concert Miss Scott and Miss Wilson were the honor guests of a victrola tea given by F. Clay Hill. They were made the honor guests of several social affairs during their stay and were handsomely treated by the Brookfield people. The concert program was as follows:

#### Piano—

- (a) A La Bien Aimee.....Schutt
- (b) Second Mazurka.....B. Godard

#### Violin—

- (a) Belle Nuit.....J. Offenbach
- (b) Liebesfreud.....F. Kreisler
- (c) The Coquette.....Taylor

#### Vocal—

- (a) Good-Bye Summer.....F. Lynes
- (b) My Ain Folk.....L. Lemon

#### Zampa.....

#### Violin obligato by Miss Wilson.

#### Violin—

- (a) Souvenir.....Drdla
- (b) Cavalleria Rusticana.....Mascagni

#### Vocal—

- (a) A Perfect Day.....C. J. Bond
- (b) Who Knows.....E. R. Ball
- (c) Sunbeams.....L. Ronald

#### An Evening Love Song.....

#### Violin obligato by Miss Wilson.

#### Selected New Officers.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam entertained the Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon. The society closed its work for the year and found the reports most gratifying, having increased its offerings and work considerably. The officers chosen for the coming year were Mrs. S. D. Harkness, president; Mrs. W. J. Staples, vice president; Mrs. J. A. Ford, secretary, and Mrs. Charles Wadley, treasurer. Mrs. S. E. Farmer, the retiring president, was chosen delegate to the Presbytery to be held in Bethany, April

12, 13 and 14, with Mrs. Charles Wadley as alternate. After the business session Mrs. C. D. Leffler read a paper on the work in Korea, and Mrs. Ford a paper on Immigration Work. The hostess gave a beautiful program on the victrola when her guests assembled and during the serving of a lovely luncheon. The devotional service that preceded all the afternoon program was exceptionally helpful and was conducted by Mrs. G. H. Colbert. Many Bible readings were used for the subject, "Immigration."

#### "THE COMING CITY."

Rev. J. D. Randolph gave the Second of His Series of Lectures Friday Night.

The Wage Earners Bible class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church gave the second of a series of lectures on social problems last evening.

The subject of the lecture was "The Coming City." It was illustrated with fifty stereopticon views and delivered by Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor of the church. The speaker said it was a well known fact that the cities of America were the worst governed of any in the civilized world. James Bryce made the statement in his American Commonwealth that the gravest danger of the United States was the vicious government of her cities. Time after time experts have said that the most conspicuous failure of our republic was in the management of the affairs of its cities.

The reason of this condition is that the better elements of the city population have not taken the necessary interest to secure control of municipal affairs.

There is not a city in the United States in which good people do not predominate. Good men have feared to go into city politics. They know that while the forces of evil would stand solidly against them they could not count on the united support of the better elements of the population. This is the secret of the failure of municipal government in America.

At the present time there is a splendid opportunity for some good citizen of Maryville to do the community a lasting service by permitting his friends to announce his candidacy for mayor.

The people are in no mood to be trifled with by cheap politicians, but will loyally support the administration of a good man.

We want a business administration of the affairs of our city, and one that is in sympathy with the moral ideals of the situation in these respects. Too long we have made the mayor's office the grave of a good man's political ambitions.

#### MISSOURI BOOSTERS TO MEET.

The Annual Convention of the Federation of Missouri Commercial Clubs at Jefferson City.

Maryville should be represented at the third annual convention of the Federation of Missouri Commercial clubs, which convenes at Jefferson City Tuesday.

It is expected to be the greatest gathering of Missouri business men, farmers, agricultural leaders, educators, newspaper men and men of affairs in the history of the state. The banquet will be given Tuesday night.

More than one hundred commercial clubs have selected delegates. The Warrensburg Commercial club has made arrangements to charter a Pullman car and will send thirty representatives to the convention.

On the speakers' program are many men prominent in the business, agricultural, professional and educational life of the state, and the things they will have to say on the subjects they will discuss will be of great interest to every citizen of the state.

The object of the federation is: First, to let the American public know something of the wonderful resources of Missouri and the opportunities of further agricultural and industrial development; second, to closely cement the different commercial clubs of the state together in order that they may more effectively co-operate in these movements and policies which will make Missouri a better state to live in.

#### In Favor of a Fair.

The Maryville daily newspapers are again agitating a county fair. That's all right to have an old fashioned fair, but why don't some one take the lead and get some action in the matter. Maryville used to have the best fairs in the state, and they can do so again provided they get to work doing something. We're for you, so let's get to work.—Parnell Sentinel.

S. A. Black of Drummond, Idaho, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Black, for some time, left one day this week for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Greenlee and sons went to Pickering Friday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shopbell.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

Mrs. A. A. Reece of Elmo was a Maryville visitor Saturday.



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Mrs. Reuben Kauffman of Humboldt, Kan., who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Ulmer, left for her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. C. J. Alderman went to Savannah Saturday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. T. C. Cooper until Monday evening.

Elmer Grier, a Normal student, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit home folks over Sunday.

Miss Verna Bird of Hopkins visited Thursday and Friday with her brothers, Eugene and Wilford Bird, students of the Business college.

Mrs. J. E. Hopson of Bedford returned home Friday after a visit with her son, J. E. Hopson of Burlington Junction.

Miss Charlotte Burnham went to St. Joseph Saturday morning to spend the day.



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Tuesday—"Mr. Gaston From Paris" is the comedy; "Blanca" is a Vitagraph Mexican story; "The Locked Room," Lubin special.

Wednesday—"By Man's Law," two-reel Biograph drama, and this is a strong story with a moral; "The Girl in the Houseboat," Edison.


Thursday—"The Right Man," Vitagraph; "The Harmless One," Lubin drama; "An Actor's Romance," Selig.

Friday—Pathe Weekly No. 4; "The Accusing Skeleton," Warner's special in three reels.

Saturday—"Why Am I Here," Vitagraph comedy; "The Escape of Jim Dolan" is a western feature in two reels.

Mrs. R. M. Black went to Kansas City Saturday morning for a week's visit with her son, S. E. Black, and family.

Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and Miss Mildred went to St. Joseph Saturday morning to spend the day.



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Force of Idle Led by "General" Kelley Will Divide Into Two Parts on Reaching Kansas—Travel in State With Free Grub Abounding.

San Francisco, March 7.—"Pass them along" is the plan on which California communities are dealing with "General" Kelley's army of unemployed, now on its way to Washington, D. C., and as a result the tourists are traveling in state.

It cost Contra Costa county \$709.50 in railroad fares to ship the army to Benira, Solano county. Benira at once made preparations to send it on to Yolo and Sacramento counties. An appeal to the state railroad commission brought permission for the Southern Pacific to grant a reduced fare, but the railroad company itself refused to be a party to any plan "for dumping a lot of undesirables onto unoffending communities," and the Solano county officials then agreed to pay first class fares, as had Contra Costa.

### Special Train Made Up.

There was a hitch while the railroad company rounded up cars to make up a special train, and the army camped at Benira for the night, with Adjutant General Forbes of the California national guard on hand to see if there would be any need of calling out state troops to preserve order.

Contra Costa county was lavish in its hospitality. It distributed to the two camps of marchers 3,000 loaves of bread, six quarters of beef, fifty sacks of potatoes, twelve sacks of onions, a wagon load of fish and tea, coffee and rice by the hundred weight.

### Officer Deserts.

"Colonel" Louis LaPlace, attached to the staff of "General" Kelley, deserted and returned to San Francisco to resume his place as a police detective. When the unemployed first invaded the city, four weeks ago, LaPlace was detailed to join them, and his identity was hidden so completely that he returned with his head in bandages as the result of a beating given him by a deputy sheriff at Richmond when the army engaged in a riot. LaPlace says the army consists of 1,172 officers and privates, and is growing in number daily; that it plans to divide into two divisions on reaching Kansas, one continuing on toward Washington by way of Kansas City and the other by way of Omaha.

### THUGS ROB PAYMASTER

Bandits Get Fourteen Thousand by Holdup at St. Louis.

St. Louis, March 7.—Two robbers, armed with revolvers, held up John Lucas, paymaster of the Brown Shoe company, here and robbed him of about \$14,000. The theft took place in front of a factory of the company, after which the bandits leaped into Lucas' automobile and escaped. They commanded the chauffeur to drive them to a street car bound for the northern limits of the city. They boarded the car and told the chauffeur not to follow them.

Paymaster Lucas went to a bank and drew the money with which to pay the factory employees. Later he went in an automobile to the factory, stepped from the car and turned to take two valises containing the money from the automobile. As his back was turned the robbers rushed towards him and covered him with revolvers. Lucas escaped into the factory, but left the money in the machine.

Later two men supposed to be the bandits got off a car in the south part of the city, each one carrying a valise. Apparently, they had left the north-bound car soon after boarding it and took one in the opposite direction.

### BOTH SIDES PAY DYNAMITER

Youth While Exploding for Miners on Operators' Roll.

Denver, March 7.—Arthur Langowski, aged twenty-one, swore before the federal strike investigating committee that he received \$3 a day from the coal operators while exploding dynamite for the United Mine Workers of America.

The youth, sharply questioned by the committee, stoutly denied that he was a spy in the ranks of the union, although he admitted that he was "watching both sides," and receiving pay from each part to the labor war. Longowski testified that he was secretary and treasurer of the Sopris local of the United Mine Workers.

### "Prophet Daniel" Pays Paris Visit.

Paris, March 7.—Traffic was brought to a standstill on one of the boulevards when a tall German, attired in a long black gown, appeared in the roadway shouting in a loud voice: "I am the prophet, Daniel, hear ye!" He exhorted the crowd to read the gospels. The police arrested the man.

### Would Bar Religious Instruction.

New Haven, Conn., March 7.—Religious instruction should not be given in the public schools, according to Professor James Tufts of the University of Chicago, who spoke before the Religious Education association in convention here.

### A. CHARLES PERCEVAL.

British Consul at Galveston, Who Will Probe Death of Benton.



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### Reports Toll Repeal Bill.

Washington, March 7.—Initial steps to repeal the toll exemption clause of the Panama canal act as requested by President Wilson were taken in congress when the house committee on interstate commerce reported favorably a bill to strike out the provision.

Chairman Adamson immediately began work on a report to the house and declared he would press the repeal just as rapidly as possible. The committee also voted to ask for a special rule to expedite the repeal.

### He Falsely Admits Murder.

Wellington, Kan., March 7.—John Kidwell, who confessed two weeks ago at Hannibal, Mo., that he murdered the McKelley family here in September, 1912, repudiated his confession. He said he had been induced to make it by the thought that his wife no longer cared for him and he would be happier in prison.

### The Weather.

Cloudy.

### Locals Defeat King City and Pickering.

The Maryville high school basketball team closed their season in Maryville last night by defeating the King City team. The game was clean and fast. Although the visitors were outclassed from the first they played a good, fast game.

For the home team Murray was the star basket tosser, getting a total of eight field baskets. For King City, Gartin and Master did the best work. The final score was 45 to 26.

This game was preceded by a game between the Maryville seconds and the Pickering team, resulting in a victory for the former. This also was a good, interesting game. The final score was 33 to 16. Prof. Eek of the Normal was referee for both contests.

### The line-ups were:

Maryville—Murray, L. F.; Willson, R. F.; Scott, C.; David, R. G.; Miller, L. G.

King City—Master, L. F.; Mayer, R. F.; Frank, C.; Gartin, R. G.; Grundy, L. G.

Field goals—Murray 5, Willson 5, Scott 5, David 1, Master 3, Mayer 2, Frank 2, Grundy 1.

Foul goals—Murray 2, Willson 2, Scott 3, Master 10.

Maryville—Gray, R. F.; Sawyers, L. F.; Gorman, C.; Hughes, G.; Roberts, G.; Wilson, G.

Pickering—Moon, R. F.; Leech, L. F.; Carmichael, C.; Green, G.; Sadler, G. Field goals—Gray 6, Sawyers 6, Gorman 1, Hughes 2, Moon 2, Leech 2, Carmichael 4.

### Home From Muskogee.

Mrs. E. B. Woodward and daughter returned Saturday from Muskogee, Okla., where they were called several weeks ago by a message saying Mrs. Woodward's brother was thought to be dying. He grew better after their arrival, but has not yet recovered.

Mrs. Ruth Porter of Clearfield, Ia., and son, Frank Porter, who has been attending school here, returned home Friday. Mrs. Porter came on account of her son's sickness. He was very ill of the mumps and will remain at home until he has recovered.

Miss Pearl Bright of Hamburg, Ia., who has been visiting her brother, Bud Bright, and family, went to Arkoe Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Art Logan.

Frank Ewing and daughter went to Hopkins Saturday to visit over Sunday with Mr. Ewing's parents, Captain and Mrs. James Ewing.

Miss Bertha Schmauder of Burlington Junction went to Bedford Friday to be the guest of Miss Ethel Muntz a few weeks.

### NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

One of the best school plays ever given by the Normal school students was presented Thursday evening by the Eureka and Philomathean Literary societies. "The College Town" was a production which had plenty of "pep," and those taking part certainly did credit to themselves and their societies. The play was a culmination of a very successful term for both societies, and at probably no time since their organization, three years ago, have the societies accomplished as much real work as they have done the last quarter. They found ample time for play, too, each having put on quite a number of successful "stunts," and each think they have founded what will prove to be a school tradition. The societies are to be congratulated on their work and their recreation, too, and are to be wished many more terms as successful.

During the assembly hour Monday President Ira Richardson, who had just returned from a trip to St. Louis, Chicago and Richmond, Va., gave a talk, telling of his trip. President Richardson, who had been away from school for more than a week, received a hearty round of applause on his appearance and seemed to be just as glad to get home again as were the students and faculty to see him. He discussed in detail the resolutions which were adopted by the Missouri normal school presidents, and which will affect the Normal school here.

On account of a number of the students taking the county examinations on Friday, the regular assembly was held Thursday morning, at which time the glee club of the school, under the direction of P. O. Landon, gave a short program. The glee club has been well attended all term and has done some very creditable work. The program was as follows:

Solo, The Mighty Deep, Jude—Orlo Quinn.

Songs by the glee club: The Spacious Firmament on High, from The Creation, Haydn; The Sandman is Coming, Schnell; The Dancers, Gilbert; Blue Banube Waltzes, Strauss.

Harmonica duet, Medley of Familiar Airs—Marjorie Wilfley and Dale Hoffman.

In introducing the last performers, Mr. Landon said that he, as discoverer of their talent, had the honor of being manager of two of the talented and renowned harmonica artists either in the United States or on the continent. The young artists have numberless lyceum and concert contracts at hand, but true to their innate sense of duty, prefer to continue their studies in the Maryville Normal school.

They rendered their selections in a very spirited and soulful manner, and their phrasing, tone color, and modulation were indeed a delight to the spirit of the musician. They were applauded to the echo and very graciously responded with that delightful little ballad, "Where, Oh, Where Has My Little Dog Gone?" A brilliant future is predicted for these very brilliant young performers.

### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Vera Tilson and Miss Mildred Robinson were visitors Thursday morning.

Miss Hazel Everhart and Miss Ruth Reuillard favored the high school by singing at assembly Friday afternoon. This was much appreciated and they received hearty applause. Other visitors Friday afternoon were Misses Gertrude Wright, Golda Roelofson, Hazel Vandervoort and Mr. Henry Johnson of Ottavaw, Kan.

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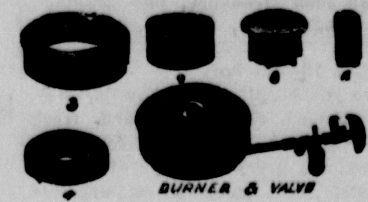
Miss Josephine Ault of Barnard was in Maryville Thursday on her way home from a week's visit at Council Bluffs with Miss Ruth Claypool.

Mrs. F. J. Breier of Springfield returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Miss Louise Breier.

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Mrs. A. R. Perrin spent the day Friday in St. Joseph with her son, L. L. Perrin.

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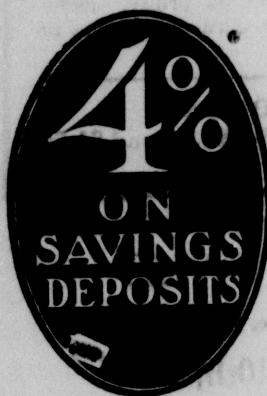
Miss Jane Salmond of Tarkio, who has been attending the Normal, returned home Saturday.

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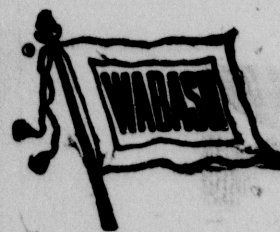
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E. L. McGuire, editor and proprietor of the Guilford Times, has sold out to H. W. Hildebrand of Guilford, and with this week's issue, volume 10 and number 1, he begins his newest venture. Mr. McGuire has accepted a position with the Diagonal Progress, on which paper he worked before he came to Guilford.

## DEATH CLAIMS GEO. VANDERBILT

Multi-Millionaire Philanthropist and Sportsman Succumbs.

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Youngest and Probably Least Known of Sons of William K. Vanderbilt and His Fortune Never Factor in Wall Street.

Washington, March 7.—George W. Vanderbilt, multi-millionaire, philanthropist and sportsman of international renown, died from heart failure, following an operation for appendicitis last Tuesday. His death came suddenly, caused indirectly through the development of pulmonary embolism which affected the heart, preventing blood circulation. He was fifty-two years of age. Although seriously ill for some time, Mr. Vanderbilt had sustained the operation and continued to show signs of improvement until the complications unexpectedly arose. Previous to their appearance no alarm had been felt for his recovery, and physicians said his condition was improving.

Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was formerly Miss Edith Dresser of New York, had been continuously in attendance at the bedside. She was almost prostrated by her husband's death. At the palatial residence which Mr. Vanderbilt occupied here as his winter residence, it was said that the funeral arrangements would be announced this afternoon, when Frederick Vanderbilt, a brother, will reach Washington.

Mr. Vanderbilt was the youngest and probably the least known of the sons of the late William K. Vanderbilt. He never took an active part in the business and financial world, where other members of the family gained wealth and distinction. He was a student and a traveler and his chief interest was his magnificent estate at Biltmore, near Asheville, N. C., where he spent the greater part of his time.

Mr. Vanderbilt's fortune was never a factor in Wall street. He was supposed, however, to be one of America's wealthiest men.

## DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Great Storm in East Causes Interruption to Business.

New York, March 7.—R. G. Dun's Review of Trade says:

Further interruption to business was caused this week by the greatest snow storm the east has experienced in a quarter of a century. Trade was seriously handicapped for a time and transportation and wire facilities temporarily demoralized, while the property damage was considerable. Suspension of freight movements retarded distribution of foodstuffs and fuel and resulted in higher prices for various commodities.

Recovery from the blizzard was comparatively prompt and the lifting of railroad blockades and resumption of telegraphic service brought a more normal condition. Reports from leading commercial centers, however, continue of a mixed character increased activity in certain directions contrasting with dullness in others. Failures for the week were 330.

Fat Man Causes Raid to Succeed.

Chicago, March 7.—One man who was too fat to get through a hole in the wall caused the arrest of himself and nine others when the police raided a basement gambling room downtown. When the police came the players fled for a small hole in the rear wall, planned for an emergency exit. One escaped and the fat man, who was second, got stuck, preventing the others from gaining their liberty.

Woman Given Term for Manslaughter.

Pikeville, Ky., March 7.—Mrs. Maud Taylor, aged thirty years, was sentenced to the penitentiary for from two to twenty-one years, for the killing of Cleveland Huffman. The case was of much note in the history of the mountain troubles in Kentucky. Mrs. Taylor is one of a few women ever convicted on a charge of manslaughter in Kentucky.

Bans Tango; Hesitation O. K'd.

Spokane, Wash., March 7.—The Very Rev. W. C. Hicks, dean of All Saints' Episcopal cathedral, has barred dancing of the tango in his parish. The current issue of the cathedral paper contains the dean's prohibition against the tango, but gives his approval of the hesitation waltz and one step.

Soldiers Slay Bartender.

Gardiner, Mont., March 7.—Infuriated because Walter Semple, a bartender, charged him 25 cents for a can of sardines, Ole A. Halverson and George A. Halsey, United States soldiers from Fort Yellowstone, attacked Semple with knives so fiercely here that he died.

Testify Against Strikers.

Houghton, Mich., March 7.—A score of witnesses told the congressional committee investigating the Michigan copper strike of assaults on nonunion men and other alleged acts of violence committed by strikers and sympathizers.

## HORATIO G. KING.

Distinguished Veteran  
Seriously Ill After  
Stroke of Paralysis.



CHARGES MILWAUKEE  
JUGGLED FIGURES  
Book Accounts of Road and  
Subsidiary Manipulated.

Washington, March 7.—Charges that the book accounts of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway company and of its subsidiary, the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railway company, have been so manipulated as to mislead the public and tend to create a more favorable market for the securities of the roads were contained in a report made public by the interstate commerce commission after an exhaustive investigation of the financial affairs of the roads.

While criticizing and condemning the accounting methods followed by the companies, however, Commissioner Harlan, who prepared the report, said: "We do not mean to be understood by anything here said as intimating that the St. Paul company is not a valuable property and is not achieving the results reasonably anticipated from the extension of its lines to the Pacific coast."

The disclosures by the investigation of what Commissioner Harlan described in the report as "serious irregularities" in the accounting system of the roads were regarded by the commission as indefensible, although the officers of the St. Paul company explained that they "resulted from negligence in attention and a lack of familiarity on the part of the company's comptroller and those under him with the requirements of the commission."

## WILL PROBE FUTURE TRADING

House Rules Committee Agrees on a General Inquiry.

Washington, D. C., March 7.—Congressional investigation of the entire subject of trading in futures, grain and cotton, has been agreed on. Chairman Henry of the house rules committee so told Henry S. Robbins, counsel for the Chicago board of trade, at the hearing on Representative Mahan's resolution to investigate the grain exchanges of Duluth, Chicago and Minneapolis.

Mr. Robbins said if an investigation of the grain exchanges were ordered, the Chicago board of trade favored a sweeping inquiry into the whole subject. Chairman Henry replied that it was planned to do that and carry out the platform pledges of the Democratic party.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 7.—Closing prices:  
Wheat—May, 93½¢; July, 88½¢.  
Corn—May, 67¢; July, 66½¢.  
Oats—May, 40½¢; July, 40¢.  
Pork—May, \$21.62½; July, \$21.70.  
Lard—May, \$10.80; July, \$11.00.  
Ribs—May, \$11.55; July, \$11.65.  
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 92½¢; No. 2 corn, 60¢; No. 2 white oats, 41¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; slow; heaves, \$7.20@9.75; western steers \$6.80@8.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.65@8.55; calves, \$7.50@10.85. Hogs—12,000; strong to 5@10¢ higher; bulk of sales, \$8.50@8.65; light, \$8.40@8.70; heavy, \$8.25@8.70; rough, \$8.25@8.40; pigs, \$7.40@8.60. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; steady; western, \$4.85@6.25; yearlings, \$5.85@7.00; lambs, \$6.75@7.70.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; 15@25¢ higher for the week; beef steers, \$7.00@9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.25@7.75; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@8.00; bulls, \$6.00@7.60; calves, \$7.00@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 6,400; 5¢ higher; bulk of sales, \$8.20@8.35; top, \$8.40. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; 10@15¢ lower for the week; lambs, \$7.00@7.75; wethers, \$5.50@6.25; ewes, \$5.00@5.75; yearlings, \$5.75@6.90.

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## Special Fern Sale

The balance of this month we will deliver to any address or express office in Maryville our 50c Boston Fern, our 25c Asparagus Fern and our 50c Blooming Primrose, the three plants for only \$1.00. Just the plants for the home. No home is complete without at least one of Engelmann's Ferns. Order the three plants and if not satisfactory do not accept them.

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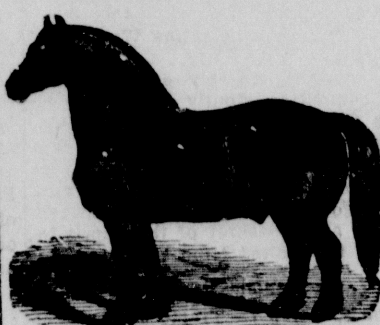
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I WILL BE AT  
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To buy Horses, Mares and Mules anything that is marketable. Bring in your Draft Horses and Chunks.

Charles H. Roach

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## WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25¢ for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

PURE BRED Shorthorn bulls and heifers for sale. Ogden & Son. 30-tf

FOR RENT—Modern rooms furnished. 403 West Third street. 3-tf

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. August King, Clyde, Mo. 23-tf

TRY A SURE THING. Becker's way is always certain. The Garmentologist, 209½ North Main.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. 722 N. Walnut. Farmers phone 218. 4-10

FOR SALE—One F. P. lighting system with four burners. A bargain if taken at once. Inquire at this office. 5-7

WANTED—I want to rent a good 5 or 6-room house by March 15. Ed Brewer, at Maco Print Shop. 27-tf

CALL Standard Plumbing Co. for quick service, correct service and satisfaction.

WANTED—300 buggies and automobiles to paint and repair at Barmann's. 10-9

FOR RENT—House wired for electricity. See Maryville Electric Light and Power Co. Hanamo 21. 21-20

FOUND—A ring set with two opals. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. 7-16

FOR SALE—5-room house, water, electric lights, also barn for four horses. Phone 4539. Abe Cunningham, 1012 East First street. 5-10

Old Trusty Incubators.  
100 egg size.....\$9.86  
150 egg size.....\$12.56  
200 egg size.....\$16.56  
E. L. ANDREWS,  
Factory Agent.

FOR SALE AND TRADE—Farm land and stock ranches; Colorado, South Dakota and Texas. Write for price list. Agents wanted. J. G. Hollingsworth, 3363 Tennyson street, Denver, Col. 7

FOR SALE—Three blocks from the square, on paved streets, a 6-room house with two rooms in basement, with city water, good well and cistern, cement walks, woodhouse, electric lights, hot and cold water. Can be bought cheap and on good terms if taken soon. Call on Ed Otis. 5-7

FOR SALE—Fancy Bred Buff Orpingtons, show birds. Eggs \$1.50 a setting. John H. Aley, 126 South Mulberry street. Hanamo 4614.

\$10-GIVEN AWAY IN PRIZES-\$10 BY THE SNOWDROP POULTRY YARDS, RAYENWOOD MO., O. V. PUGSLEY, PROP.

Prizes will be given as follows:  
Best pen, \$3.00; best cockerel, \$2.00; second best, \$1.00; third, 50¢; best pullet, \$2.00; second best, \$1.00; third, 50¢.

These birds must be owned by parties that purchased the eggs from me, and must be exhibited at the N. W. Missouri Poultry association show and under their rules. You will also be eligible to all premiums given by the show in addition to the above offered by me, according to their rules. I won in 1913 at the N. W. Mo. Poultry association show, first and second cockerel, first hen, second pullet, first pen.

Prices of eggs as follows: \$1.00 per 15; \$5.00 per 100. A limited number from special mated pen from which I will raise my show birds, \$3.00 per 15 eggs.

HOME OF WHITE WYANDOTTES. Send or phone your orders.

Mrs. Charles Cochayne and son want to Pickering Saturday to visit a week with her brother and sister, Ward Gray and Mrs. Mary Chambers, and Mrs. Joseph Ulmer.

Miss Elizabeth Thomson of Fairfax, who has been attending the Normal, left Saturday for her home. Miss Thomson expects to return for the commencement.



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## NEW BOOKS HERE

MANY RECEIVED AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

## AVERAGE 90 READERS

A Day During the Month of February—Number of Books and Magazines Loaned Were 1,762.

According to the report of Librarian Grace Langan for the month of February there were 2,621 readers in the library during the twenty-eight days of that month, or 90 a day. The total number of books and magazines loaned were 1,762 or an average of 83 a day. There were 28 readers' cards issued. The total collections amounted to \$12.99.

Many new books have been received by the library and are now on the shelves of that institution. There were 53 fiction books and seven non-fiction books in the shipment, and a list of them is as follows:

New books added to the library recently:

The House of Happiness, K. L. Boshier.  
Under the Christmas Stars, G. S. Richmond.  
T. Tembaron, F. H. Burnett.  
A Master's Degree, M. H. McCarter.  
The Honorable Senator Sagebrush, F. Lynde.  
VanCleave, M. S. Watts.  
The Dark Hollow, A. K. Green.  
The Story of Waitstill Baxter, K. D. Wiggin.  
Otherwise Phyllis, M. Nicholson.  
The Croyston Family, Mrs. S. H. Ward.  
The Desired Woman, W. N. Harben.  
The Iron Trail, R. Beach.  
The Broken Halo, F. L. Barclay.  
Beatrice of DeneWood, B. K. Knipe.  
Heart's Desire, E. Hough.  
The Forest Lovers, M. Hewlett.  
Old Reliable, H. Dickson.  
The Ramrodders, H. Day.  
Danger Trail, J. O. Curwood.  
The Wings of the Morning, L. Tracy.  
Raffies, E. W. Hornung.  
Lantern of Luck, H. Douglas.  
Arizona Nights, S. E. White.  
Morals of Marcus Ardeyne, W. J. Locke.  
Boss of Little Arcady, H. L. Wilson.  
John Burt, F. U. Adams.  
Owl's Nest, E. Marlitt.  
Our Lady of the Beeches, Baroness von Hutton.  
Life on the Mississippi, M. Twain.  
Four Million, O. Henry.  
Light Fingered Gentry, D. G. Phillips.  
House of Defense, E. F. Benson.  
Chief Legatee, A. K. Green.  
Doc Gordon, Mrs. M. W. Freeman.  
Latter-Day Sweethearts, Mrs. B. Harrison.  
Man Between, A. E. Barr.  
Quest of the Golden Girl, R. LeGalliene.  
The Memories of an American Citizen, R. Herrick.  
Graham of Claverhouse, E. MacLaren.  
Belchamber, H. O. Sturgis.  
A Son of Satsuma, K. Monroe.  
The Scrape That Jack Built, O. A. Liljencrantz.  
Dream Life, I. Marvel.  
A Respectable Family, R. Thompson.  
Bonnie Prince Charlie, G. A. Henty.  
Out on the Pampas, G. A. Henty.  
Captain Bayley's Heir, G. A. Henty.  
Little by Little, O. Optic.  
All Aboard, O. Optic.  
Now or Never, O. Optic.  
The Riflemen of the Ohio, J. A. Altsheler.  
Five Gallons of Gasoline, M. B. Wells.  
A Six-Cylinder Courtship, E. S. Fields.

Now-fiction books:  
The Gardener, Rabindranath Tagore.  
Gitanjali, Rabindranath Tagore.  
The Crescent Moon—Rabindranath Tagore.  
All the Holidays, C. F. Denton.  
Government Ownership of Railways, S. O. Dunn.  
The Lonely Dancer and Other Poems, Richard LeGalliene.  
Cheerful Todays and Trustful Tomorrows, M. Sangster.

Miss Myra Hull of the Blockton schools arrived home Friday evening for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull, who have moved into their new residence since her last visit home.

Miss Charlotte Wright of the Normal faculty went to her home at Union Star Saturday morning for a week-end visit.

John Bookman left Friday morning for his home at Lamar, Mo.

## WAS A CLOSE GAME.

A and B Sixth Teams Met in Basket Ball Contest Thursday Evening—A Player Crippled.

The B sixth grade basket ball team owes its small defeat in basket ball, Thursday evening's game, to the fact that one of its players, Edwin McPherron, bit his tongue and sprained his foot all at the same moment, which kept him from making the play that would have won the victory. The score was 5 to 6 in favor of the A sixth.

The game was played in the morning and afternoon. It was very close and was enjoyed by everyone present.

The first team in the A sixth is composed of Perry Eads, Paul Miller, Vern Moore, Glen Pierpoint and Allen Hawkins. The first team in the B sixth has for its players Edwin McPherron, Cecil Smith, Leonard Maier, Wade Kilhon, Harry Jones.

## BANKER GEORGE B. BAKER.

What the St. Joseph Gazette Says About Maryville Man.

The following is from today's St. Joseph Gazette about George B. Baker of this city:

When George B. Baker of the official board of state hospital No. 2 is introduced to strangers as a Maryville banker when he comes to St. Joseph to attend the meetings of the organization to which Governor Major some time ago appointed him, the new acquaintances probably do not fully understand the meaning of that word "banker" as applied to the visitor.

Usually, being a banker means leading the happy life of the man who sits in a fine office and watches people stream into his place of business to deposit their money. But this pleasing experience is only one of the bank activities of the Maryville man.

To begin with, Banker Baker is interested in a lot of things besides the doing of the world of finance. He is a wide-awake citizen, he is an active churchman, he knows everybody in his section of the state, and all their affairs interest him. Now you begin to get an inkling of how busy a banker some bankers can be.

Do the Methodists of his home town lack a little money to purchase that new improvement on which they have set their hearts? And do they wonder who is going to make up the balance? Well, not for long, 'cause George does it. Do the little folks in the Sunday school believe that if they work all spring and summer holding ice cream suppers that they can by the end of the warm season earn enough money to buy the little red chairs they need now, and can they think of anybody who will advance the coin and merely take their word that they'll honest in-jun pay it back? Yes, they'll find somebody—that is, if George is in when they make a beeline to his home or his bank. And are the women's clubs, and the civic federation, and the ditch diggers league, and all the other organizations of his birthplace occasionally in need of a kind word, a hearty handshake, and a coin or two to help along the good cause? Somebody is dead sure to remember that George B. Baker has always "seemed mightily interested in our work."

And George smiles slowly and happily and seems to enjoy it all. It's a cinch that everybody else does.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## CHARLES S. MELLEN.

Ex-President of the New Haven, Who Faces Trial As Result of Fatal Wreck.



## A MASS MEETING

TO BE HELD AT COURT HOUSE MARCH 31.

## NON-PARTISAN TICKET

City Council Issued Call for Such a Meeting—Selected Judges For the City Election.

At the city council meeting held Friday evening a call was made for a non-partisan mass meeting in the court house on Tuesday evening, March 31, when a non-partisan ticket will be selected to be voted on at the city election Tuesday, April 7. At this meeting candidates for aldermen from the four wards will also be selected, but it will be done by the voters of these wards.

The council also made a call for the election, and appointed the following as the judges of the election:

First ward—Burt Rowley, Howard Whaley, Noah Sipes and Ed Hamlin.  
Second ward—Albert Kuchs, W. R. Hughes, A. A. Leet and Wilbur Smith.  
Third ward—Albert Bell, J. F. Cook, Julian Briggs, W. J. Montgomery.  
Fourth ward—James Smith, Fred Smith, John Kirch and Ed Otis.

An ordinance was adopted that members of the city council receive \$4 a meeting night when they are in attendance. The new ordinance will mean that there will be a good attendance of the members at every meeting. The members will not receive their salary unless they are present at the meetings.

## CONVERSIONS NUMBER 121.

Baptist Revival Services Closed Friday Night—Assisting Ministers Left For Their Homes.

There were eleven conversions at the Friday evening service at the First Baptist church, when the eighteen days' meeting came to a close. There were several requests made for prayer also. Eleven were received for baptism Friday night, making a total of 121 during the revival. The rite of baptism will be administered Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Charles E. Henry, pastor of the Baptist church at Trenton, who has conducted the singing with such satisfaction to everybody, left the church Friday night to take the Wabash train for his home. Rev. Henry is gifted as a leader and singer and in all church activity. His presence and work has been a great blessing to the church.

Dr. Hale of Hannibal, the consecrated, scholarly minister who has given such faithful warnings to unbelievers and splendid instruction to church membership, gave a fitting sermon to close his work here from one of the Proverbs: "My son, give me thine heart." In the beginning he said the heart is the only thing one possesses that he may give to God, for all things else are His. The cattle on a thousand hills are His, the gold and silver in the mines, and all the wealth of the world are His. But a man has the disposal of his affections to himself; what he will do with his heart, whether he shall allow it to be enriched by the indwelling spirit of God is for him to decide. The beautiful picture he drew of the possibilities there are in a man's life when he gives himself completely into God's hands and lets Him mold his thoughts and affections had the effect of placing a desire for such a surrender as that in the heart of everyone present.

Dr. Hale left for his home Saturday morning. His sermons have greatly strengthened the church and have been used of God in turning many to righteousness.

## CONCERT SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

To Be Given at the Empire Theater at 3 o'clock by the Maryville Band.

The following is the program for the band concert to be given Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Empire theater:

March "The Progressive Musician," Atkinson.  
Overture, "The Belle of the Village," Bouillon.  
Intermezzo, "Witchery," Moore.  
Overture, "Poet and Peasant," Suppe.  
Intermission.  
March, "Always Take a Girl Named Daisy," Meyer.  
Fantasia on "My Old Kentucky Home," Dalby.  
March, "At Uncle Tom's Cabin Door," Cowan.  
"Grand Sacred Potpourri," Berry.  
March, "Missouri Maze," Cross.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

## ARE TAKING EXAMS

BEING HELD AT BUSINESS COLLEGE FOR TEACHERS.

## 88 WERE WRITING TODAY

The Smallest Number to Take the March Examinations on Record, Last Year Being 126.

The county teachers' examinations are being held today at the Business college under the direction of County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson, and with the help of Prof. B. F. Duncan and Mrs. O. C. Hanna. There are eighty-eight men and women taking the examination, the smallest number to take the March examinations on record. Last year there were 126.

The ones who are taking the examinations are:

Maryville—Ella Nixon, Amy VanBuren, Myrtle Hughbank, Pearl Neal, J. P. Cummings, Ada Dinsmore, Anna Halasey, Rose Shinabargar, Eva Whitehead, Maude Whitehead, Mary Fordyce, Anna Davenport, Coga Thummel, Jessie Fisher, Cecile Fisher, Ruby Russell, Helen Burris, May Craytor, Gertrude Clary, Nellie Miller, Barnard—Lizzie Tanner, Paul Sells, Ethel Pearce, Olva Ramsey, L. S. Mendenhall, Ross Dewitt and A. J. Patton.  
Bolekov—Harvey Lucas, Opal Key, Alberta Turner and S. E. Richards.  
Quitman—Ethel Key, Anna Crayton and Minnie Money.

Burlington Junction—Mary Carter, Helen Hollis and Maude McComb.  
Graham—Louise Finkbeiner, Stella Davis and Rosella Praisewater.  
Shenandoah, Ia.—Jane Cheshire.  
Hepburn, Ia.—Faye Cheshire.  
Farragut, Ia.—Genevieve Williamson.

Hopkins—Bessie Dinsmore.  
Forest City—Flora Anders.  
Maysville—Elita Shipp.

Gilman City—Hollie Layson, Mabel Vanderpool, Paul Vanderpool and M. A. Miller.

Guilford—Frank Ham and Cleo Richards.

Parnell—Helen Matteson, Blanche Bloomfield.

Stanberry—Mary Fullerton and Mrs. Pearl Warner.

Albany—Maggie Jones.  
Elmo—Amarilla Myers, Cora Carver and Otto Riley.

Sheridan—Eugene Bird, Wilfred Bird, Cecil Bayless and Dora Smith.

Clyde—Johanna Galvin, Agnes Cummins, Nina Merrigan, Lucy Archer, Stella Foland, Ruth Hobbs, Theresa Kelly, Ruth Schocklee, Teresa Conway and Loretta McManus.

Ravenwood—Atholl West, Blanche Rimel, Mildred Peters and Leland Richards.

Skidmore—Lora Shultz, Helen Hutt, Viola Barber, Cleo Barber, Earl Bodle, Harold Hutt, Leora Hitchcock and Marie Shockley.

Clearmont—Martha Curry.

## Sunday Services at Local Churches

The ministers of our city make their announcements for the church services tomorrow, and with it we respectfully submit a church calendar containing a novel set of beatitudes we found in possession of a well known church man Saturday morning:

"Blessed is the man whose calendar contains prayer meeting nights.

"Blessed is the man who can endure an hour and a quarter in a place of worship, as well as two hours and a half in a place of amusement.

"Blessed is the man who loves the church with his pocketbook, as well as with his heart.

"Blessed is the church officer who is not pessimistic.

"Blessed is the man whose watch keeps church time as well as business time.

"Blessed is the man who has grace to leave the critical spirit on the sidewalk when he comes to church.

"Blessed is the man who loves his own church enough to praise it.

"Blessed is the man who is faithful on a committee.

## First Presbyterian Church.

We will be glad to see you at our services tomorrow. The morning sermon will be entitled "God's Law of Compensation," and the evening sermon will deal with Pilate's question, "What Shall I Do With Jesus?"

The Sunday school and Young People's club are inspiring instances of religion in action. We offer you the

best of everything we have in fellowship and worship, but you'll have to come to our services to accept the offer.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.  
Regular services at this church Sunday morning and evening. Sermon—Lesson at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Man." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome.

First M. E. Church.  
Sunday school at 9:30, H. C. Bower, superintendent.  
Church at 11 a. m.  
Class meeting at 12, Mr. Hartman, leader.

Epworth League service at 6:30, Dale Hoffman, leader. Subject, "James, Common Sense Religion." Church service at 7:30, Subject, "Paul the Traveler."

First Christian Church.  
Morning services begin with the church in Bible study at 9:30.

At 10:45 the minister will preach following the communion service. Subject, "A Letter From Jesus."

The Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30, and the evening preaching service begins promptly at 7:30. Evening subject, "Four-Square Manhood." The choir will render special music morning and evening.

## First Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. An unusually large attendance is expected. The pastor desires the presence of every member of the church and congregation in Sunday school and at the church service Sunday morning. His class of men is expecting to meet him 100 strong.

Subject of the sermon at 11 o'clock will be "Some Elements of Christian Character."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.  
Subject of evening sermon, "How Shall We Neglect If We Neglect So Great Salvation?"

The rite of baptism will be administered at 7:30 to those who made profession during the meetings just closed and have not yet been baptized.

It is the purpose to continue the large chorus choir at the evening service.

There will be special music Sunday.

## Buchanan Street Methodist Church.

All of the regular services will be held. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., conducted by Clarence Seal, superintendent.

The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m. The subject of the sermon will be "The Tragedy of the Incomplete."

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. The League is making special preparation for holding a young people's revival, which will begin Sunday evening, March 5. The revival will be held by young people and for young people.

The evening service will be conducted by the pastor, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. He will speak on "Those Who Wait for Tomorrow." A very cordial invitation is given to all of these services.

## Preachers' Meeting.

The Ministerial Alliance will meet on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of Rev. G. S. Cox.

SAMUEL D. HARKNESS, Chairman.  
Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## ALAN R. HAWLEY.

President of Aero Club And Type of Air Craft to Be Used to Circle the Globe.



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## MANY APPLICANTS

FOR FOURTH CLASS POSTOFFICES TO TAKE EXAMINATION.

## HERE NEXT SATURDAY

Eleven Towns Will Be Represented and the Examination Will Be Conducted by Civil Commission.

A civil service examination will be held in Maryville on Saturday, March 14, by the civil service commission, composed of Eldon Irvin, Cleve Pank and Ernest Welborn, for the position of postmaster of all fourth class post-offices in Nodaway county at which the annual compensation is \$180 or more, and at which the present incumbent was not appointed under the civil service regulations. The commission will also give the examination for the Bolekov and Sheridan postoffices in Maryville.

The examination will be held for applicants for the postoffices of Clearmont, Elmo, Quitman, Graham, Barnard, Guilford, Conception Junction, Conception and Parnell. Over twenty-six applications have been received and will take the examination at that time.

Eldon Irvin of the commission went to Darlington Saturday, where he conducted a civil service examination for the position of postmaster at that place. There were three applicants for the place.

## THE I. O. O. F. DEDICATION.

Many From Maryville Were in Attendance at the Lodge Session Friday Night.

Friday was a big day for the I. O. O. F. lodge at Wilcox, their new hall being dedicated, with Grand Master Hamilton and Grand Secretary Williamson in attendance. The dedication services took place in the afternoon. A fine supper was served in the hall in the evening at 6 o'clock, and after supper lodge was held. The following were in attendance from Maryville at the lodge session Friday night: Fred Yeomans, John Price, H. B. Cox, Will Irwin, Henry Trullinger, Marion F. Smith, Frank Manley, Howard Whaley, Amos Sprecher, J. E. Thornton, Orville Bennett, Chester Bennett, Frank Orcutt, Albert McNeal, John Vert, John Touhey, Eugene Rathbun, Shell Garten, Lon Welborn, Wm. Welpley.

## SUITS FILED IN COURT.

Homer Hankins Suing Wabash Railroad for Trunk Destroyed by Fire.

Three suits were filed Saturday in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office for the April term of circuit court. Today was the last day of service for suits at the coming term, with the exception of suits on notes and accounts.

Homer Hankins is suing the Wabash for \$200 damages for the loss of a trunk containing wearing apparel. The petition states that the trunk was sent from Maryville to Conception Junction, and at that place it is supposed to have been destroyed by the fire that burned the depot there. Ellis G. Cook is the attorney for Hankins.

Holmes & Wolfert brought suit against Reuben Young for a commission fee of \$552 for an account of \$32.92.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schoonover and daughter were called to Pickering Friday by the illness of Mrs. Schoonover's grandfather, Alfred Gray.

## THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature; moderate north winds.

## FERN TONIGHT

Ha! Ha! Ha! ALKALI IKE'S AUTO

You will have to laugh Hiananda's Cross, Drama Thoughtlessness, Drama Helen Gardner, Monday

## We Have Moved

To Our New Location

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### The Boy and His Daddy.

"What would you be, my precious  
lad?"

I asked of my curly locked 4-year-old  
as he played with his red toy engine  
there.

Safe from the wintry blast and cold.  
And a look of love came into his eyes  
While he ceased a moment and gazed  
at me.

And I saw he knew, and I understood  
The depth of his childish simplic-  
ity—

"I just want to be like my daddy!"

"What would you do, my precious lad?"

Again interrupted the boy at play.  
He had loaded his train with wonder-  
ful blocks

And the restless engine was tugging  
away.

But he stopped and smiled, as a child  
can do,

And dimples adorned him with  
roguish grace.

While quick from the heart his brief  
answer came

And longing shone forth in his hand-  
some face—

"I just want to do like my daddy!"

"Where would you go, my precious lad?"

Third time, and last, I detained him  
there

For childish hearts have their yearn-  
ings dear

And dreams of the future for which  
they care.

The boy, so busy about his play,  
Must have ambitions beyond our ken

And yet from his lips I heard once  
more

The words in confidence uttered  
then,

"I just want to go with my daddy!"

Back of the bright eyes is one little  
life—

Sweet tender heritage left in your  
care;

Blessed the task to prepare him for  
strife,

Glorious chance which is given you  
there—

Do you want him to be like you, daddy?

—Lon A. Warner in New York Times.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell  
and completely derange the whole system when  
entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such  
articles should never be used except on prescrip-  
tions from reputable physicians, as the damage  
they will do is ten fold to the good you can pos-  
sibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure,  
manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.,  
contains no mercury, and is taken internally,  
acting directly upon the blood and mucous sur-  
faces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh  
Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken  
internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J.  
Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### IF WE CAN'T MAKE THAT WATCH OF YOURS GO

You may just as well give it  
to the baby to play with.

JAS. STEWART, who has  
had 30 years experience, has  
charge of our watch repairing  
department. We can get all of  
the service out of your watch  
that there is in it, even down to  
the last tick. Let us try it—  
Is all We Ask.

**Raines Brothers**  
JEWELRY & OPTICIAN  
100 N. 1st St., Maryville, Mo.

## Closing Out Stock Sale

Having rented my farm, near Parnell, I will sell at the farm, known  
as the George Baker farm, 2 miles east of Maryville, on

Wednesday, March 11, 1914

The following described property.

58 HEAD OF CATTLE—15 head of cows with calves by side, 8 to be  
fresh soon, 8 heifers 3 and 4 years old, 15 long yearling steers, 14 long  
yearling heifers, 4 coming yearling steers, 2 coming yearling heifers.

14 HEAD OF HORSES—4 black geldings, 2 mules, 1 brown horse, 1 sor-  
rel horse, 1 bay mare, 1 mule mare, 1 brown mare with foal, 1 bay mare,  
smooth mouth, with foal; 1 roan colt, 1 bay filly.

1 buggy, 1 carriage, 1 disc cultivator, 3 cultivators, 3 sets work harness,  
good ones.

TERMS—\$10.00 and under cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months  
time on a bankable note bearing 8 percent interest from date. No property  
to be removed until settled for.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.  
E. E. Williams, Clerk.

### AS CHINA SEES THE WHITES.

Men "Drag" Women Around Rooms  
While "Most Hellish Music" Plays.

In his book, "The Chinese Revolution," Arthur J. Brown reprints a para-  
graph written by a Chinese who had  
seen much of the Europeans and North  
Americans at Shanghai. "We are al-  
ways told that the countries of the for-  
eign devils are grand and rich," the  
Chinese observed, "but that cannot be  
true else what do they all come here  
for?"

"They jump around and kick balls  
as if they were paid to do it. Again  
you will find them making long tramps  
into the country; but that is probably  
a religious duty, for when they wave  
sticks in the air nobody knows why.  
They have no sense of dignity for they  
may be found walking with women.  
Yet the women are to be pitied, too.  
On festive occasions they are dragged  
around a room to the accompaniment  
of the most hellish music."

Another interesting paragraph is  
from the pen of a Chinese who had  
just returned from a tour of Europe  
and North America. He wrote to a  
relative as follows:

You cannot civilize these foreign  
devils. They are beyond redemption.  
They will live for weeks and months  
without touching a mouthful of rice,  
but they eat the flesh of bullocks and  
sheep in enormous quantities. That is  
why they smell so badly. They smell  
like sheep themselves. Every day they  
take a bath to rid themselves of their  
disagreeable odors, but they do not  
succeed. Nor do they eat their meat  
cooked in small pieces. It is carried  
into the room in large chunks, often  
half raw, and they cut and slash and  
tear it apart. They eat with knives  
and prongs. It makes a civilized be-  
ing perfectly nervous. One fancies  
himself in the presence of sword swal-  
lowers. They even sit down at the  
same table with women, and the latter  
are served first, reversing the order  
of nature.

### Spring Blood and System Cleanser.

During the winter months impuri-  
ties accumulate, your blood becomes  
impure and thick, your kidneys, liver  
and bowels fail to work, causing so-  
called "spring fever." You feel tired,  
weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the  
spring tonic and system cleanser—is  
what you need; they stimulate the kid-  
neys, liver and bowels to healthy ac-  
tion, expel blood impurities and re-  
store your health, strength and ambi-  
tion. Electric Bitters makes you feel  
like new. Start a four weeks' treat-  
ment—it will put you in fine shape for  
your spring work. Guaranteed. All  
druggists. 50c and \$1.00. H. E. Buck-  
lin & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.—  
Advertisement.

### GUILFORD NEWS ITEMS.

Miss Nellie Bannister is going to St.  
Joseph this week to enter the Keister  
tailoring college for the full course.  
She will make her home with her sis-  
ter, Mrs. G. W. Garner, while there.

Rev. J. L. Bilby, pastor of the M. E.  
church here, has commenced a series  
of meetings this week. He has twice  
before started a revival effort here,  
but was deterred by storms or sick-  
ness.

The lively barns here have changed  
hands. Davis brothers have sold out  
to Bert Miller of Alton, Mo., and O.  
D. VanFossen has sold a part interest  
in his barn to John H. Williams.

### Smallpox at Parnell.

Parnell is making every effort to  
stop the spread of the smallpox, and  
the board of public health of that  
place has ordered the schools closed  
another week on that account. There  
are to be no public meetings of any  
kind. There are now five families  
where the disease has developed, but  
none of the cases have been serious.  
One new case at F. X. Berg's and  
one at George C. Logan's residence.  
Charley Harman and Mildred LaFavor  
are getting better and will be dis-  
charged in a day or two. Lloyd Mil-  
likan also has the disease.

### Left for Kansas.

Mrs. S. A. Wiseman and children left  
Thursday evening for Centralia, Kan.,  
where they will make their future  
home.

S. L. Beech and his little daughter,  
Elizabeth, went to Bolckow Friday  
morning on a business trip.

## News of Society and Womens' Clubs

### Informal Party.

Miss Hettie Anthony will entertain  
a small party of girl friends Satur-  
day evening.

### Saturday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Burris enter-  
tained at 12 o'clock dinner Saturday  
Mrs. Will V. Mountjoy, Mrs. Florian  
Gex and Will Gex of near Graham.

### Miss Read Will Speak.

All the departments of the Twentieth  
Century Club will meet at the Elks  
club Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock  
to hear Miss Louella Read of Shenan-  
doah speak on German writers. Miss  
Read, who is a personal friend of Mrs.  
G. H. Colbert, and whose guest she will  
be, lectured before the club in Sep-  
tember last on German student life.  
Her appearance here at that time was  
delightfully instructive, and it is ex-  
pected she will be given an unusual  
reception next Monday.

Miss Read will be accompanied by a  
friend from Pekin, China. All the club  
members will be given opportunity to  
meet the visitors after Miss Read's  
talk.

### Mrs. Burris Was Hostess.

The regular meeting of the Woman's  
Missionary society of the First Baptist  
church met Friday afternoon with Mrs.  
Will A. Burris, instead of with Mrs.  
Mary Landon, who was called from the  
city. Thirty members were present  
and three visitors, Mrs. J. S. Shin-  
abargar, Mrs. Satterlee and Mrs. J. A.  
Lorance. The Bible study in giving  
was conducted by Mrs. W. A. Bailey in  
the absence of Mrs. Anderson Craig,  
who was ill. The subject for the after-  
noon, "The Rural Church," was  
conducted by the president, Mrs. Eu-  
gene Ogden. "The Need" was dis-  
cussed by Mrs. Burris; "The Pastor,"  
by Mrs. J. L. Jones; "Backwardness  
and Its Uplift," Mrs. L. P. James;  
"Co-Operation Between Country and  
City Churches," Mrs. S. P. Huston.  
Everyone entered heartily into the  
discussion of these subjects. After  
the program the mite box opening was  
held. The boxes were distributed last  
November. Thirty boxes were re-  
turned Friday and contents yielded  
\$22.80. There are twenty-four yet to  
hear from and they will be opened at  
the next meeting.

### Charmed Their Audience.

Miss Besse Scott and Miss Edith  
Wilson returned Friday from Brook-  
field, Mo., where they gave a concert  
Tuesday night. They went to St. Jo-  
seph Friday and joined a theater party  
of Maryville friends at the Lyceum for  
"My Lady's Slipper." Miss Scott and  
Miss Wilson gave a very successful  
concert in the Christian church at  
Brookfield. They had a nice large  
audience, and so well pleased were  
the auditors with the program that  
when the fire whistle sounded the fire  
alarm not a person moved in response.  
After the concert was over the Mary-  
ville young ladies were assured the  
program they gave was equal to any  
given in the lecture course Brookfield  
had this winter. After the concert  
Miss Scott and Miss Wilson were the  
honor guests of a victrola tea given  
by F. Clay Hill. They were made the  
honor guests of several social affairs  
during their stay and were handsomely  
treated by the Brookfield people. The  
concert program was as follows:

### Piano—

- (a) A La Bien Aimee.....Schutt  
(b) Second Mazurka.....B. Godard  
Miss Scott.

### Violin—

- (a) Belle Nuit.....J. Offenbach  
(b) Liebesfreud.....F. Kreisler  
(c) The Coquette.....Taylor  
Miss Wilson.

### Vocal—

- (a) Good-Bye Summer.....F. Lynes  
(b) My Ain Folk.....L. Lemon  
Miss Scott.

### Zampa.....

- Harold  
Miss Scott.

### Violin obligato by Miss Wilson.

### Violin—

- (a) Souvenir.....Drdla  
(b) Cavalleria Rusticana.....Mascagni  
Miss Wilson.

### Vocal—

- (a) A Perfect Day.....C. J. Bond  
(b) Who Knows.....E. R. Ball  
(c) Sunbeams.....L. Ronald  
Miss Scott.

### An Evening Love Song.....F. Chipman

- Miss Scott.

### Violin obligato by Miss Wilson.

### Selected New Officers.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam entertained the  
Woman's Missionary society of the  
First Presbyterian church Thursday  
afternoon. The society closed its  
work for the year and found the re-  
ports most gratifying, having in-  
creased its offerings and work con-  
siderably. The officers chosen for the  
coming year were Mrs. S. D. Harkness,  
president; Mrs. W. J. Staples, vice  
president; Mrs. J. A. Ford, secretary,  
and Mrs. Charles Wadley, treasurer.  
Mrs. S. E. Farmer, the retiring presi-  
dent, was chosen delegate to the Pres-  
bytery to be held in Bethany, April

12, 13 and 14, with Mrs. Charles Wad-  
ley as alternate. After the business  
session Mrs. C. D. Leffler read a paper  
on the work in Korea, and Mrs. Ford  
a paper on Immigration Work. The  
hostess gave a beautiful program on  
the victrola when her guests assem-  
bled and during the serving of a love-  
ly luncheon. The devotional service  
that preceded all the afternoon pro-  
gram was exceptionally helpful and  
was conducted by Mrs. G. H. Colbert.  
Many Bible readings were used for the  
subject, "Immigration."

### "THE COMING CITY."

Rev. J. D. Randolph gave the Second  
of His Series of Lectures  
Friday Night.

The Wage Earners Bible class of  
the Buchanan Street Methodist church  
gave the second of a series of lectures  
on social problems last evening.

The subject of the lecture was "The  
Coming City." It was illustrated with  
fifty stereopticon views and delivered  
by Rev. J. D. Randolph, pastor of the  
church. The speaker said it was a  
well known fact that the cities of  
America were the worst governed of  
any in the civilized world. James  
Bryce made the statement in his Amer-  
ican Commonwealth that the gravest  
danger of the United States was the  
vicious government of her cities. Time  
after time experts have said that the  
most conspicuous failure of our repub-  
lic was in the management of the af-  
fairs of its cities.

The reason of this condition is that  
the better elements of the city popu-  
lation have not taken the necessary in-  
terest to secure control of municipal  
affairs.

There is not a city in the United  
States in which good people do not  
predominate. Good men have feared to  
go into city politics. They know  
that while the forces of evil would  
stand solidly against them they could  
not count on the united support of the  
better elements of the population. This  
is the secret of the failure of municipal  
government in America.

At the present time there is a splen-  
did opportunity for some good citizen  
of Maryville to do the community a  
lasting service by permitting his  
friends to announce his candidacy for  
mayor.

The people are in no mood to be  
trifled with by cheap politicians, but  
will loyally support the administra-  
tion of a good man.

We want a business administration  
of the affairs of our city, and one that  
is in sympathy with the moral ideals  
of the situation in these respects. Too  
long we have made the mayor's office  
the grave of a good man's political  
ambitions.

### MISSOURI BOOSTERS TO MEET.

The Annual Convention of the Fed-  
eration of Missouri Commercial  
Clubs at Jefferson City.

Maryville should be represented at  
the third annual convention of the  
Federation of Missouri Commercial  
clubs, which convenes at Jefferson City  
Tuesday.

It is expected to be the greatest  
gathering of Missouri business men,  
farmers, agricultural leaders, educa-  
tors, newspaper men and men of af-  
fairs in the history of the state. The  
banquet will be given Tuesday night.

More than one hundred commercial  
clubs have selected delegates. The  
Warrensburg Commercial club has  
made arrangements to charter a Pull-  
man car and will send thirty repre-  
sentatives to the convention.

On the speakers' program are many  
men prominent in the business, agri-  
cultural, professional and educational  
life of the state, and the things they  
will have to say on the subjects they  
will discuss will be of great interest to  
every citizen of the state.

The object of the federation is:  
First, to let the American public know  
something of the wonderful resources  
of Missouri and the opportunities of  
further agricultural and industrial de-  
velopment; second, to closely cement  
the different commercial clubs of the  
state together in order that they may  
more effectively co-operate in these  
movements and policies which will  
make Missouri a better state to live in.

### In Favor of a Fair.

The Maryville daily newspapers are  
again agitating a county fair. That's  
all right to have an old fashioned fair,  
but why don't some one take the lead  
and get some action in the matter.  
Maryville used to have the best fairs  
in the state, and they can do so again  
provided they get to work doing  
something. We're for you, so let's get  
to work.—Parnell Sentinel.

S. A. Black of Drummond, Idaho,  
who has been visiting his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. R. M. Black, for some time,  
left one day this week for his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Greenlee and  
sons went to Pickering Friday for a  
short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Shophell.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post  
cards at Crane's.

Mrs. A. A. Reece of Elmo was a  
Maryville visitor Saturday.



Correct Styles in

## Spring Hats

Come in and See  
Them.

E. Ashford & Co.  
Successor to  
Mrs. W. J. Staples

Mrs. Reuben Kauffman of Humboldt,  
Kan., who has been the guest of her  
daughter, Mrs. Frank Ulmer, left for  
her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. C. J. Alderman went to Sa-  
vannah Saturday morning to visit her  
sister, Mrs. T. C. Cooper until Monday  
evening.

Elmer Grier, a Normal student, went  
to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit  
home folks over Sunday.

Miss Verna Bird of Hopkins visited  
Thursday and Friday with her broth-  
ers, Eugene and Wilford Bird, students  
of the Business college.

Mrs. J. E. Hopson of Bedford re-  
turned home Friday after a visit with  
her son, J. E. Hopson of Burlington  
Junction.

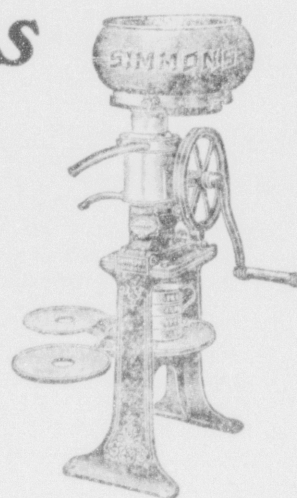
Miss Charlotte Burnham went to St.  
Joseph Saturday morning to spend the  
day.

# Simmons

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Get bigger "Cream" Profits  
—"Separates the Money from  
the Milk." Get the latest  
and best Separator in Ameri-  
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Farmer.

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Ready for use. Better than traps.  
Directions in 16 languages in every package.  
Two sizes: 50c and \$1.00.  
Sold by retailers everywhere.

#### All Next Week at the Fern.

Monday—Helen Gardner positively Monday night in "A Daughter of Pan," also "The Express Car Mystery."

Tuesday—"Mr. Gaston From Paris" is the comedy; "Blanca" is a Vitaphone Mexican story; "The Locked Room," Lubin special.

Wednesday—"By Man's Law," two-reel Biograph drama, and this is a strong story with a moral; "The Girl in the Houseboat," Edison.

Thursday—"The Right Man," Vitaphone; "The Harmless One," Lubin drama; "An Actor's Romance," Selig.

Friday—Pathe Weekly No. 4; "The Accusing Skeleton," Warner's special in three reels.

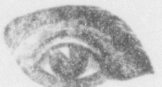
Saturday—"Why Am I Here," Vitaphone comedy; "The Escape of Jim Dolan" is a western feature in two reels.

Mrs. R. M. Black went to Kansas City Saturday morning for a week's visit with her son, S. E. Black, and family.

Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and Miss Mildred went to St. Joseph Saturday morning to spend the day.

### CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.  
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General Agent,

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## PASS JOBLESS ARMY ALONG

Fares of 1,172 Unemployed Paid by California Counties.

### SHIPMENT MADE AT HUGE COST

Force of Idle Led by "General" Kelley Will Divide Into Two Parts on Reaching Kansas—Travel in State With Free Grub Abounding.

San Francisco, March 7.—"Pass them along" is the plan on which California communities are dealing with "General" Kelley's army of unemployed, now on its way to Washington, D. C., and as a result the tourists are traveling in state.

It cost Contra Costa county \$709.50 in railroad fares to ship the army to Benira, Solano county. Benira at once made preparations to send it on to Yolo and Sacramento counties. An appeal to the state railroad commission brought permission for the Southern Pacific to grant a reduced fare, but the railroad company itself refused to be a party to any plan "for dumping a lot of undesirables onto unoffending communities," and the Solano county officials then agreed to pay first class fares, as had Contra Costa.

#### Special Train Made Up.

There was a hitch while the railroad company rounded up cars to make up a special train, and the army camped at Benira for the night, with Adjutant General Forbes of the California national guard on hand to see if there would be any need of calling out state troops to preserve order.

Contra Costa county was lavish in its hospitality. It distributed to the two camps of marchers 3,000 loaves of bread, six quarters of beef, fifty sacks of potatoes, twelve sacks of onions, a wagon load of fish and tea, coffee and rice by the hundred weight.

#### Officer Deserts.

"Colonel" Louis LaPlace, attached to the staff of "General" Kelley, deserted and returned to San Francisco to resume his place as a police detective. When the unemployed first invaded the city, four weeks ago, LaPlace was detailed to join them, and his identity was hidden so completely that he returned with his head in bandages as the result of a beating given him by a deputy sheriff at Richmond when the army engaged in a riot.

LaPlace says the army consists of 1,172 officers and privates, and is growing in number daily; that it plans to divide into two divisions on reaching Kansas, one continuing on toward Washington by way of Kansas City and the other by way of Omaha.

### THUGS ROB PAYMASTER

Bandits Get Fourteen Thousand by Holdup at St. Louis.

St. Louis, March 7.—Two robbers, armed with revolvers, held up John Lucas, paymaster of the Brown Shoe company, here and robbed him of about \$14,000. The theft took place in front of a factory of the company, after which the bandits leaped into Lucas' automobile and escaped. They commanded the chauffeur to drive them to a street car bound for the northern limits of the city. They boarded the car and told the chauffeur not to follow them.

Paymaster Lucas went to a bank and drew the money with which to pay the factory employees. Later he went in an automobile to the factory, stepped from the car and turned to take two valises containing the money from the automobile. As his back was turned the robbers rushed towards him and covered him with revolvers. Lucas escaped into the factory, but left the money in the machine.

Later two men supposed to be the bandits got off a car in the south part of the city, each one carrying a valise. Apparently, they had left the north-bound car soon after boarding it and took one in the opposite direction.

### BOTH SIDES PAY DYNAMITER

Youth While Exploding for Miners on Operators' Roll.

Denver, March 7.—Arthur Langowski, aged twenty-one, swore before the federal strike investigating committee that he received \$3 a day from the coal operators while exploding dynamite for the United Mine Workers of America.

The youth, sharply questioned by the committee, stoutly denied that he was a spy in the ranks of the union, although he admitted that he was "watching both sides," and receiving pay from each part to the labor war.

Langowski testified that he was secretary and treasurer of the Sopris local of the United Mine Workers.

#### "Prophet Daniel" Pays Paris Visit.

Paris, March 7.—Traffic was brought to a standstill on one of the boulevards when a tall German, attired in a long black gown, appeared in the road way shouting in a loud voice: "I am the prophet, Daniel, hear ye!" He exhorted the crowd to read the gospels. The police arrested the man.

#### Would Bar Religious Instruction.

New Haven, Conn., March 7.—Religious instruction should not be given in the public schools, according to Professor James Tufts of the University of Chicago, who spoke before the Religious Education association in convention here.

### A. CHARLES PERCEVAL.

British Consul at Galveston, Who Will Probe Death of Benton.



Photo by America

#### Reports Tolls Repeal Bill.

Washington, March 7.—Initial steps to repeal the toll exemption clause of the Panama canal act as requested by President Wilson were taken in congress when the house committee on interstate commerce reported favorably a bill to strike out the provision.

Chairman Adamson immediately began work on a report to the house and declared he would press the repeal just as rapidly as possible. The committee also voted to ask for a special rule to expedite the repeal.

#### He Falsely Admits Murder.

Wellington, Kan., March 7.—John Kidwell, who confessed two weeks ago at Hannibal, Mo., that he murdered the McKnelly family here in September, 1912, repudiated his confession. He said he had been induced to make it by the thought that his wife no longer cared for him and he would be happier in prison.

#### The Weather.

Cloudy.

#### Locals Defeat King City and Pickering.

The Maryville high school basketball team closed their season in Maryville last night by defeating the King City team. The game was clean and fast. Although the visitors were outclassed from the first they played a good, fast game.

For the home team Murray was the star basket tosser, getting a total of eight field baskets. For King City, Gartin and Master did the best work. The final score was 45 to 26.

This game was preceded by a game between the Maryville seconds and the Pickering team, resulting in a victory for the former. This also was a good, interesting game. The final score was 33 to 16. Prof. Eek of the Normal was referee for both contests.

#### The line-ups were:

Maryville—Murray, L. F.; Willson, R. F.; Scott, C.; David, R. G.; Miller, L. G.

King City—Master, L. F.; Mayer, R. F.; Frank, C.; Gartin, R. G.; Grundy, L. G.

Field goals—Murray 8, Willson 2, Scott 5, David 1, Master 3, Mayer 2, Frank 2, Grundy 1.

Poul goals—Murray 2, Willson 2, Scott 3, Master 10.

Maryville—Gray, R. F.; Sawyers, L. F.; Gorman, C.; Hughes, G.; Roberts, G.; Wilson, G.

Pickering—Moon, R. F.; Leech, L. F.; Carmichael, C.; Green, G.; Sadler, G.

Field goals—Gray 6, Sawyers 6, Gorman 1, Hughes 2, Moon 2, Leech 2, Carmichael 4.

#### Home From Muskogee.

Mrs. E. B. Woodward and daughter returned Saturday from Muskogee, Okla., where they were called several weeks ago by a message saying Mrs. Woodward's brother was thought to be dying. He grew better after their arrival, but has not yet recovered.

Mrs. Ruth Porter of Clearfield, Ia., and son, Frank Porter, who has been attending school here, returned home Friday. Mrs. Porter came on account of her son's sickness. He was very ill of the mumps and will remain at home until he has recovered.

Miss Pearl Bright of Hamburg, Ia., who has been visiting her brother, Bud Bright, and family, went to Arkoe Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Art Logan.

Frank Ewing and daughter went to Hopkins Saturday to visit over Sunday with Mr. Ewing's parents, Captain and Mrs. James Ewing.

Miss Bertha Schmauder of Burlington Junction went to Bedford Friday to be the guest of Miss Ethel Muntz a few weeks.

### NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

One of the best school plays ever given by the Normal school students was presented Thursday evening by the Eureka and Philomathean Literary societies. "The College Town" was a production which had plenty of "pep," and those taking part certainly did credit to themselves and their societies. The play was a culmination of a very successful term for both societies, and at probably no time since their organization, three years ago, have the societies accomplished as much real work as they have done the last quarter. They found ample time for play, too, each having put on quite a number of successful "stunts," and each think they have founded what will prove to be a school tradition. The societies are to be congratulated on their work and their recreation, too, and are to be wished many more terms as successful.

During the assembly hour Monday President Ira Richardson, who had just returned from a trip to St. Louis, Chicago and Richmond, Va., gave a talk, telling of his trip. President Richardson, who had been away from school for more than a week, received a hearty round of applause on his appearance and seemed to be just as glad to get home again as were the students and faculty to see him. He discussed in detail the resolutions which were adopted by the Missouri normal school presidents, and which will affect the Normal school here.

On account of a number of the students taking the county examinations on Friday, the regular assembly was held Thursday morning, at which time the glee club of the school, under the direction of P. O. Landon, gave a short program. The glee club has been well attended all term and has done some very creditable work. The program was as follows:

Solo, The Mighty Deep, Jude—Orlo Quinn.

Songs by the glee club: The Spacious Firmament on High, from The Creation, Haydn; The Sandman is Coming, Schnell; The Dancers, Gilbert; Blue Banube Waltzes, Strauss.

Harmonica duet, Medley of Familiar Airs—Marjorie Wilfley and Dale Hoffman.

In introducing the last performers, Mr. Landon said that he, as discoverer of their talent, had the honor of being manager of two of the talented and renowned harmonica artists either in the United States or on the continent. The young artists have numberless lyceum and concert contracts at hand, but true to their innate sense of duty, prefer to continue their studies in the Maryville Normal school.

They rendered their selections in a very spirited and soulful manner, and their phrasing, tone color, and modulation were indeed a delight to the spirit of the musician. They were applauded to the echo and very graciously responded with that delightful little ballad, "Where, Oh, Where Has My Little Dog Gone?" A brilliant future is predicted for these very brilliant young performers.

### HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Vera Tilson and Miss Mildred Robinson were visitors Thursday morning.

Miss Hazel Everhart and Miss Ruth Reuillard favored the high school by singing at assembly Friday afternoon. This was much appreciated and they received hearty applause. Other visitors Friday afternoon were Misses Gertrude Wright, Golda Roelofson, Hazel Vandervoort and Mr. Henry Johnson of Ottaway, Kan.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

#### CHICAGO.

Cattle—200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Hogs—7,000. Market strong; top, \$8.70. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

#### KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—300. Market strong; top, \$8.50.

Sheep—None. Market steady.

#### ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—1,500. Market strong; top, \$8.50.

Sheep—None. Market steady.

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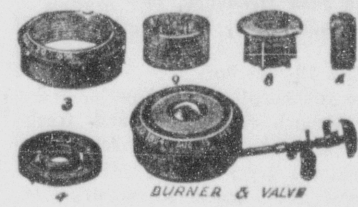
Miss Josephine Ault of Barnard was in Maryville Thursday on her way home from a week's visit at Council Bluffs with Miss Ruth Claypool.

Mrs. F. J. Breier of Springfield returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Miss Louise Breier.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

Mrs. A. R. Perrin spent the day Friday in St. Joseph with her son, L. L. Perrin.

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The Guilford Times Sold.

E. L. McGuire, editor and proprietor of the Guilford Times, has sold out to H. W. Hildebrand of Guilford, and with this week's issue, volume 10 and number 1, he begins his newest venture. Mr. McGuire has accepted a position with the Diagonal Progress, on which paper he worked before he came to Guilford.

## DEATH CLAIMS GEO. VANDERBILT

Multi-Millionaire Philanthropist and Sportsman Succumbs.

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Youngest and Probably Least Known of Sons of William K. Vanderbilt and His Fortune Never Factor in Wall Street.

Washington, March 7.—George W. Vanderbilt, multi-millionaire, philanthropist and sportsman of international renown, died from heart failure, following an operation for appendicitis last Tuesday. His death came suddenly, caused indirectly through the development of pulmonary embolism which affected the heart, preventing blood circulation. He was fifty-two years of age. Although seriously ill for some time, Mr. Vanderbilt had sustained the operation and continued to show signs of improvement until the complications unexpectedly arose. Previous to their appearance no alarm had been felt for his recovery, and physicians said his condition was improving.

Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was formerly Miss Edith Dresser of New York, had been continuously in attendance at the bedside. She was almost prostrated by her husband's death.

At the palatial residence which Mr. Vanderbilt occupied here as his winter residence, it was said that the funeral arrangements would be announced this afternoon, when Frederick Vanderbilt, a brother, will reach Washington.

Mr. Vanderbilt was the youngest and probably the least known of the sons of the late William K. Vanderbilt. He never took an active part in the business and financial world, where other members of the family gained wealth and distinction. He was a student and a traveler and his chief interest was his magnificent estate at Biltmore, near Asheville, N. C., where he spent the greater part of his time.

Mr. Vanderbilt's fortune was never a factor in Wall street. He was supposed, however, to be one of America's wealthiest men.

## DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Great Storm in East Causes Interruption to Business.

New York, March 7.—R. G. Dun's Review of Trade says:

Further interruption to business was caused this week by the greatest snowstorm the east has experienced in a quarter of a century. Trade was seriously handicapped for a time and transportation and wire facilities temporarily demoralized, while the property damage was considerable. Suspension of freight movements retarded distribution of foodstuffs and fuel and resulted in higher prices for various commodities.

Recovery from the blizzard was comparatively prompt and the lifting of railroad blockades and resumption of telegraphic service brought a more normal condition. Reports from leading commercial centers, however, continue of a mixed character increased activity in certain directions contrasting with dullness in others.

Failures for the week were 330.

Fat Man Causes Raid to Succeed.

Chicago, March 7.—One man who was too fat to get through a hole in the wall caused the arrest of himself and nine others when the police raided a basement gambling room downtown. When the police came the players fled for a small hole in the rear wall, planned for an emergency exit. One escaped and the fat man, who was second, got stuck, preventing the others from gaining their liberty.

Woman Given Term for Manslaughter.

Pikeville, Ky., March 7.—Mrs. Maud Taylor, aged thirty years, was sentenced to the penitentiary for from two to twenty-one years, for the killing of Cleveland Huffman. The case was of much note in the history of the mountain troubles in Kentucky. Mrs. Taylor is one of a few women ever convicted on a charge of manslaughter in Kentucky.

Bans Tango; Hesitation O. K'd.

Spokane, Wash., March 7.—The Very Rev. W. C. Hicks, dean of All Saints' Episcopal cathedral, has barred dancing of the tango in his parish. The current issue of the cathedral paper contains the dean's prohibition against the tango, but gives his approval of the hesitation waltz and one-step.

Soldiers Slay Bartender.

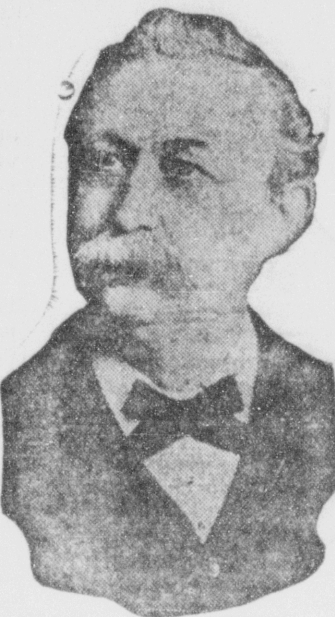
Gardiner, Mont., March 7.—Infuriated because Walter Semple, a bartender, charged him 25 cents for a can of sardines, Ole A. Halverson and George A. Halsey, United States soldiers from Fort Yellowstone, attacked Semple with knives so fiercely here that he died.

Testify Against Strikers.

Houghton, Mich., March 7.—A score of witnesses told the congressional committee investigating the Michigan copper strike of assaults on nonunion men and other alleged acts of violence committed by strikers and sympathizers.

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## CHARGES MILWAUKEE JUGGLED FIGURES

Book Accounts of Road and Subsidiary Manipulated.

Washington, March 7.—Charges that the book accounts of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway company and of its subsidiary, the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railway company, have been so manipulated as to mislead the public and tend to create a more favorable market for the securities of the roads were contained in a report made public by the interstate commerce commission after an exhaustive investigation of the financial affairs of the roads.

While criticizing and condemning the accounting methods followed by the companies, however, Commissioner Harlan, who prepared the report, said: "We do not mean to be understood by anything here said as intimating that the St. Paul company is not a valuable property and is not achieving the results reasonably anticipated from the extension of its lines to the Pacific coast."

The disclosures by the investigation of what Commissioner Harlan described in the report as "serious irregularities" in the accounting system of the roads were regarded by the commission as indefensible, although the officers of the St. Paul company explained that they "resulted from negligence in attention and a lack of familiarity on the part of the company's controller and those under him with the requirements of the commission."

## WILL PROBE FUTURE TRADING

House Rules Committee Agrees on a General Inquiry.

Washington, D. C., March 7.—Congressional investigation of the entire subject of trading in futures, grain and cotton, has been agreed on. Chairman Henry of the house rules committee so told Henry S. Robbins, counsel for the Chicago board of trade, at the hearing on Representative Mahan's resolution to investigate the grain exchanges of Duluth, Chicago and Minneapolis.

Mr. Robbins said if an investigation of the grain exchanges were ordered, the Chicago board of trade favored a sweeping inquiry into the whole subject. Chairman Henry replied that it was planned to do that and carry out the platform pledges of the Democratic party.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, March 7.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, 93½¢; July, 88½¢. Corn—May, 67¢; July, 66½¢. Oats—May, 40½¢; July, 40¢. Pork—May, \$21.62½; July, \$21.70. Lard—May, \$10.80; July, \$11.00. Ribs—May, \$11.55; July, \$11.65. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 92¢; No. 2 corn, 60¢; No. 2 white oats, 41¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; slow; beefs, \$7.20@9.75; western steers \$6.80@8.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.65@8.55; calves, \$7.50@10.85. Hogs—12,000; strong to 5¢ higher; bulk of sales, \$8.50@8.65; light, \$8.40@8.70; heavy, \$8.25@8.70; rough, \$8.25@8.40; pigs, \$7.40@8.60. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; steady; western, \$4.85@6.25; yearlings, \$5.85@7.00; lambs, \$6.75@7.70.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; 15¢ to 25¢ higher for the week; beef steers, \$7.00@9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.25@7.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@8.00; bulls, \$6.00@7.60; calves, \$7.00@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 6,400; 5¢ higher; bulk of sales, \$8.20@8.35; top, \$8.40. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; 10¢ to 15¢ lower for the week; lambs, \$7.00@7.75; wethers, \$5.50@6.25; ewes, \$5.00@5.75; yearlings, \$5.75@6.90.

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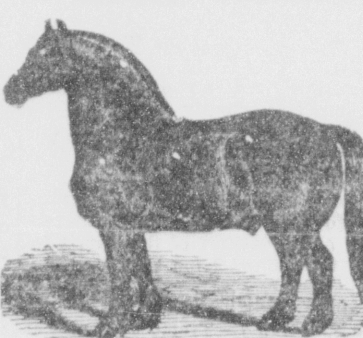
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FOR RENT—Modern rooms furnished. 403 West Third street. 3-12

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. August King, Clyde, Mo. 23-12

TRY A SURE THING. Becker's way is always certain. The Garmentologist, 209½ North Main.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. 722 N. Walnut. Farmers phone 218. 4-19

FOR SALE—One F. P. lighting system with four burners. A bargain if taken at once. Inquire at this office. 5-7

WANTED—I want to rent a good 5 or 6-room house by March 15. Ed Brewer, at Maco Print Shop. 27-12

CALL Standard Plumbing Co. for quick service, correct service and satisfaction.

WANTED—300 buggies and automobiles to paint and repair at Barmann's. 10-9

FOR RENT—House wired for electricity. See Maryville Electric Light and Power Co. Hanano 21. 21-20

FOUND—A ring set with two opals. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. 7-16

FOR SALE—5-room house, water, electric lights, also barn for four horses. Phone 4539. Abe Cunningham, 1012 East First street. 5-10

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100 egg size.....\$9.85  
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FOR SALE AND TRADE—Farm land and stock ranches; Colorado, South Dakota and Texas. Write for price list. Agents wanted. J. G. Hollingsworth, 3363 Tennyson street, Denver, Col. 7

FOR SALE—Three blocks from the square, on paved streets, a 6-room house with two rooms in basement, with city water, good well and cistern, cement walks, woodhouse, electric lights, hot and cold water. Can be bought cheap and on good terms if taken soon. Call on Ed Otis. 5-7

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These birds must be owned by parties that purchased the eggs from me, and must be exhibited at the N. W. Missouri Poultry association show and under their rules. You will also be eligible to all premiums given by the show in addition to the above offer made by me, according to their rules.

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Mrs. Charles Cochayne and son went to Pickering Saturday to visit a week with her brother and sister, Ward Gray and Mrs. Mary Chambers, and Mrs. Joseph Ulmer.

Miss Elizabeth Thomson of Fairfax, who has been attending the Normal, left Saturday for her home. Miss Thomson expects to return for the commencement.